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FRENCH INVADERS STRENGTHEN HOLD ON RUHR

ASK FOR STATE TROOPS IN STRIKE WARFARE

RAIL STRIKER IS LYNCHED IN ARKANSAS TOWN

Two-year-old Strike on Southern Railway Reaches Acute Stage; Officials May Abandon Road

POSSES OF ARMED CITIZENS PATROL STREETS OF HARRISON

Mayor and Other Officials Ordered to Resign or Leave the City

HARRISON, Ark.—Mayor J. L. Clute of Harrison, Tuesday afternoon announced he had asked Governor McRae for troops and had received a reply that troops were not available.

Reports were current that the citizens' committee would leave Harrison.

The committee has not yet requested the resignation of Mayor Clute, nor any members of the city council, it was announced. A police officer, however, was ordered to leave town by nightfall, it was announced.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—When informed that Mayor Clute at Harrison announced that he had asked Governor McRae for troops and had received a reply that troops were not available, Governor McRae said the dispatch was incorrect, and that he was awaiting legislative action. Under the constitution the governor is without authority to call out the national guard when the legislature is in session.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—One alleged railroad striker lynched, armed convoys patrolling the streets in search of other reputed strikers, a general exodus of former railroad employes who went on strike two years ago, the mayor and council ordered to resign and town marshal ordered to leave town and possibility that the Arkansas national guard would be called out, was the situation at Harrison, Ark., Tuesday, reported by the Harrison correspondent of the Arkansas Democrat this noon.

Unconfirmed rumors were that several persons had been killed, but no verification could be obtained.

The situation at Harrison is the result of burning of bridges, destruction of machinery and other depredations along the Missouri and North Arkansas railway. Some of the crimes date back to nearly two years ago when the strike on the road began. Three bridges burned last week brought matters to a point where officials of the road virtually decided upon the abandonment of the road.

Rail Worker Hanged

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—The body of E. F. Gregor, a Missouri and North Arkansas striker, was found hanging from a bridge near the railroad yards at Harrison, Ark., according to the Harrison correspondent of the Arkansas Democrat. Gregor is said to be the man who opened fire on officers and citizens who searched his home yesterday afternoon, the correspondent said.

It is said at Harrison that he was called before the vigilance committee

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WEATHER REPORT

For La Crosse and vicinity—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Rising temperature Wednesday.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Somewhat colder tonight in eastern portion. Rising temperature Wednesday in western portion.

For Iowa: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Rising temperature Wednesday.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

6 a. m.	15	10 a. m.	15
7 a. m.	14	11 a. m.	16
8 a. m.	13	12 m.	
9 a. m.	14	1 p. m.	18

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	High last night	Low Yes terday's high	Prec.
Bismarck	4	34	
Chicago	22	38	
Denver	26	46	
Helena	26	44	
Havre	10	38	
Jacksonville	42	68	.06
Kansas City	28	50	
La Crosse	14	28	
Madison	16	30	
Memphis	40	56	
Medicine Hat	22	38	
Milwaukee	18	32	
Miles City	22	46	
New York	30	40	
New Orleans	46	62	
San Diego	52	74	
San Francisco	42	52	
St. Paul	8	30	
Minneapolis	6	30	
Spokane	32	42	
Washington	34	44	

JERSEY COAST RUM FLEET MENACE TO SHIPPING IS CLAIM

Captain Complains of Difficulty of Crowding Through Liquor Ships

SQUADRON OF LIQUOR SHIPS REPORTED INCREASED TODAY

Buyers Lying Low Since Heavy Business of Thursday

NEW YORK.—By The Associated Press.—Captain Berry, attached to coast guard headquarters in this city, announced Tuesday that the commander of a vessel arriving from the West Indies had reported difficulty in crowding his way through the rum fleet standing off the Jersey coast. Complaint was made that the fleet constituted a menace to navigation.

Fleet Increasing

HIGHLANDS, N. J.—By The Associated Press.—The rum fleet standing off shore Tuesday has increased.

Experienced observers reported fourteen vessels south of Ambrose lightship. The squadron comprised one tank steamer, a smaller steamer resembling a trawler, one three masted schooner, and eleven two-masted schooners.

No buyers were observed putting off from shore where everything was quiet, indicating that maritime bootleggers were adhering to their resolution to lay low after the heavy rum running last Thursday night.

The steamship Fort Victoria, arriving in New York Monday night, reported having sighted only one steamer and seven schooners.

JURY COMMISSION MEETING TO PICK FEBRUARY JURORS

The jury commissioners of the circuit court are meeting Tuesday to select the names of prospective jurors for the February term of circuit court. L. Kleeber, clerk of the court, will draw the cards after the commission has completed the list. Clerk Kleeber also announced that the November jury, excused by the court until January 22, need not report on that date or at any other time for further duty, as Judge Higbee will not have any more jury trials until the February term of court starts, when a new jury will be called.

RICHLAND CENTER MAN HURT ON ROAD SUES THE COUNTY

Leland E. Smith has filed suit for $5,000 damages against La Crosse county for injuries received when he was thrown through the windshield of his auto upon striking a ditch across State highway No. 14, near the south county line on Oct. 1, 1922. Smith claims the depression in the road where the county was putting in a bridge was six feet deep. On Nov. 4, last, Smith put in a bill for damages to the county board of supervisors but the claim was not allowed.

BLAINE CORRECTS ERRORS IN ANNUAL MESSAGE

MADISON, Wis.—Governor Blaine, in a communication to the legislature Tuesday corrected figures given by him in his message to show that the number of instructors at the University of Wisconsin had increased almost twice as fast as the number of students.

Errors were made, the governor said, because of reports furnished him by the state board of education. He made the necessary alterations at the suggestion of President E. A. Birge of the university.

HARDING HAS COLD

WASHINGTON.—President Harding for the past week has been suffering with a severe cold, and soon after Tuesday's cabinet meeting he went to the white house proper to lie down and rest.

The president met the newspaper correspondents as usual for his after-cabinet interview, but indicated that he felt indisposed and did not desire to answer other than the most important questions. It was said there was nothing at all alarming over his condition.

OCCUPY MEMEL

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—News of the entrance of Lithuanian insurgents into the town of Memel after a fight in which the French company of Chasseurs which has been guarding this internationalized territory on the Baltic, lost one man killed and three others wounded, was confirmed Tuesday by the foreign office.

BUDGET REQUESTS EIGHT MILLION MORE THAN LAST YEAR'S APPROPRIATIONS

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—Budget requests totaling $76,197,015, the amount which heads of state departments and institutions estimate will be required to meet their fiscal needs for the biennium 1923 to 1925, were placed before the legislature Tuesday by J. B. Borden, secretary of the state board of public affairs.

The requests for funds to operate the state government and its activities, were submitted to the members of the two houses without recommendation by the public affairs board. In each instance the joint finance committee of the legislature will consider the estimates contained in the budget, and recommend appropriations commensurate with what it feels is the actual need.

Requests for funds are $8,000,000 larger than the appropriations granted by the 1921 legislature. They call for $68,201,000 to be spent on operation, $1,433,433 to be spent on maintenance and $6,561,001 to be spent on capital for the various state departments and institutions during the biennium. Boards, commissions and departments ask $19,537,601 to carry on their activities during 1923-24, and $21,554,561 for 1924-25. Charitable and penal institutions have requests of $5,721,368 for 1923-24, and $6,734,561 for 1924-25, while educational activities exclusive of the university and normal schools are asking $3,007,889 for 1923-24, and $2,234,759 for 1924-25.

The nine Wisconsin Normal schools asks $2,719,240 for the first year of the biennium and $2,572,126 for the second, while the University request is for $5,995,177 for the first year and $6,099,728 for the second. This makes the total requests $36,981,276 for 1923-24 and $39,215,739 for 1924-25, the largest estimated financial needs ever advanced by the state departments and institutions.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES FOR 1923 SESSION ARE ANNOUNCED ON TUESDAY

MADISON, Wis.—By the Associated Press.—Committees of the Wisconsin legislature were named Tuesday by John L. Dahl, speaker, for the assembly, and by the committee on committees of the senate for the upper house. La Follette-Blaine adherents hold control of all these bodies and in each instance have the committee chairmanship.

It is notable that the state affairs committee in both the senate and assembly has a majority of drys in its membership. This committee handles the bills affecting prohibition. The important finance committee of the legislature will be headed by Senator Henry A. Huber of Stoughton, with G. E. Tuffley as chairman of the assembly finance committee.

Following are the complete committees for both houses:

SENATE

Corporations: Senators Severson, chairman; Hirsch, Cashman, Skogmo, Johnson, Czerwinski and Werden.

Education and public welfare: Senators Ridgway, chairman; Staudenmayer, Moran, Barber, White, Morris, Clark.

Judiciary: Senators Teasdale, Heck, Quick, Burke, Benfey, Gary, Mahon.

State affairs: Senators Titus, chairman; Roethe, Bilgvien, Smith, Schumann, Lange, Gettelman.

Joint committee on finance: Senators Huber, Kuckuk, Polakowski, Casperson.

Joint committee on highways: Senators Staudenmayer, chairman, Smith, Casperson, Schumann, Polakowski, Cashman, Gettelman.

Contingent expenditures: Senators Roethe, chairman; Quick, Gary, Gettelman, Werden.

Committe on committees: Senators Severson, chairman; Huber and Ridgway.

ASSEMBLY

Judiciary: H. W. Sachtjen, chairman; A. E. Matheson, C. G. Price, A. M. Warden, Ethan B. Minier, C. E. Perry, Richard Elsner, Larence Timmerman, J. W. Eber, O. C. Olsen, D. A. Wheelan.

Finance: C. E. Tuffley, chairman; John Gamper, D. J. Summerville, A. C. Ruffing, Robert Caldwell, A. E. Matheson, A. E. Smith, C. G. Price, C. E. Liebe.

State affairs: James Goodman, chairman; F. J. Weber, Gustav Zittlow, J. D. Grandine, W. A. Freehoff, Frank Prescott, J. W. Salter, F. C. Smith, Ben Halverson, H. B. Mosley, J. H. Kamper.

Education: J. D. Millar, chairman; E. R. Cushman, E. H. Johnson, G. W. Schmidt, C. W. Hutchinson, J. H. Kock, Homer Dopp, George Slack, John Polakowski.

Municipalities: E. B. Minier, chairman; C. B. Perry, T. H. Conway, Julius Kiesner, Theo. Engel, Charles Rahr, Richard Kamke, L. Timmerman, Jacob Stoffel, Sixtus Lindahl, Jacob Jung.

Agriculture: J. C. Hanson, chairman; Anton Holly, F. E. Moul, Peter Ankerson, Herman Ziemer, D. J. Vincent, E. E. Royce, Carl Hillman, G. W. Meggers.

Insurance and banking: August Beversdorf, chairman; A. C. Johnson, Dutee Wheelan, F. E. Lawson, Richard Eisner, Ben Halverson, E. H. Johnson, Michael Lafley, F. K. Hefty.

Labor: E. H. Killian, chairman; A. M. Miller, J. T. Oliver, L. H. Allen, Henry Nein, C. M. Schrimpf, H. G. Tucker, Conrad Shearer, F. J. Busse.

Commerce and manufactures: F. J. Peterson, chairman; W. A. Freehoff, Anton Miller, Henry Ellenbecker, F. A. Fredrick, Math Koenigs, Homer Dopp.

Transportation: Henry Ott, chairman; A. M. Warden, James Oliver, D. J. Vincent, George Hinkley, F. C. Smith, A. F. Waller.

Public welfare: C. M. Grimstad, chairman; G. H. Jones, Math Koenigs, Grant Nelson, George Gauer, T. J. Dieringer, Edward Srschele.

Fish and game: Newcomb Spoor, chairman; James Pederson, John Peltier, A. B. Blomberg, W. A.

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MRS. J. BERG GETS SHARE OF ESTATE OF FILLMORE KIN

One of Last Official Acts of Judge Meighan Reverses Decision of County Judge

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—One of the last official acts of District Judge Meighan before retiring from the bench was to hand down a decision in the Alle Freitham estate controversy in which he reversed the decision of the county judge of Fillmore county and held that the grandchildren of deceased brothers and sisters of Freitham should share in the $60,000 personal property left by Freitham. The readjustment also gives some of the nephews and nieces, among them Mrs. John Berg of La Crosse, a greater portion of the estate than given by the county judge.

Freitham's will directed that his property be left "as the law provides." The law at the time of the making of the will was changed before he died. The county court held that the law at the time of his death governed. Judge Meighan held that the law at the time of making of the will governed. Senator Hopp of Preston and Fred H. Hartwell of La Crosse presented the argument which Judge Meighan followed.

FIRE DESTROYS PART OF ROOF AT DEVINE RESIDENCE TUESDAY

Fire believed to have been caused by spark from the chimney destroyed the roof over the kitchen at the residence of Mrs. M. Devine, 512 Caledonia street, Tuesday morning. The estimated damage was not announced. Officials at No. 2 station reported that nearly all of the roof over the kitchen addition was destroyed.

SNAKE IS KILLED TUESDAY MORNING NEAR PINE CREEK

Anyone who can tie this story please step up.

Jacob Erickson, a farmer living at Pine Creek, Minn., driving in to La Crosse early Tuesday morning, ran over a live snake which was lying in the road near the Pine Creek creamery. The snake was of the kind commonly called grass snakes, and was about two feet long.

It is pretty chilly for a snake to leave his cozy little hole in the ground, and the story is unbelievable—but he writer saw the reptile, and held it in his hand—and he hadn't been drinking either. The snake was on exhibition all morning in the office of Eugene Derr, city sealer of weights and measures on the market square.

MOREHOUSE KLAN INQUIRY BELIEVED NEARING A CLIMAX

Question Klan Members as to Expected Attack After Kidnapping of Two Men

BASTROP POLICE OFFICER IS CALLED TO THE STAND

Denies He Saw Richard and Daniel Pointed Out

BASTROP, La.—By The Associated Press.—Investigtion of hooded tragedies of Morehouse parish moved toward a climax Tuesday with the range of the net of evidence being woven by the state's attorney's spread by the testimony of two witnesses, self-declared members of the Ku Klux Klan, to show a gathering of klansmen in Bastrop on the night of the kidnaping of Watt Daniel and Thomas Richard, victims of a band of "black hoods" to repel an expected attack by the people of the neighboring village of Mer Rouge.

With this testimony on record approximately a score of witnesses were under subpoena at the start of Tuesday's session of the open hearing to undergo questioning of A. V. Coco, state's attorney general, and other state counsel who have undertaken the task of solving the mystery of the seizure and slaying of Daniel and Richard and other masked band depredations in Morehouse.

Fourteen witnesses were included in the list announced to be heard, in addition to a dozen on previous lists but who have not yet appeared because of illness or other reasons.

Smith Stevenson special policeman in the town of Bastrop on the day of the baseball game and barbecue which preceded the kidnaping of Watt Daniel and Thomas Richard by a band of black-hooded men August 24 last, testifying in the investigation, denied repeated questions by state's attorneys as to whether he had seen anyone point out the two men prior to the kidnaping.

Stevenson said he was a klansman and was questioned closely whether he was one of the party of Ku Klux Klan members, who, it has been testified gathered in the Thomas Hardware store in Bastrop and armed themselves after news of the kidnaping was received.

It had been testified by other witnesses that a party had assembled in the store to be prepared in the event the people of Mer Rouge, the home of the Daniel and Richard, might charge the klan with the kidnaping and attempt reprisals.

LA FARGE CLOTHING STORE IS ROBBED

VIROQUA, Wis.—The clothing store of Charles De Jean of La Farge was broken into, on Saturday night and several garments, including an overcoat and one dozen silk shirts, stolen also, two suit cases and a traveling bag. A clerk entering the store on Sunday morning discovered the theft. Several piles of men's shirts had been moved from their places in a show case, and were scattered about but none but the silk shirts were missing. Entrance was made through a window in the rear which was found broken. The village of La Farge has been without lights since the burning of the electric light plant a few weeks ago.

RIPON DORMITORY BURNS

RIPON, Wis.—Just as chapel services were opening Tuesday morning, a fire alarm drew crowds of Ripon college students to Sanford house, men's dormitory, which was damaged by fire caused by an overheated furnace. Fifteen college men rooming in the house lost most of their personal effects. They will be housed in one of the other dormitories. The damage to Sanford house is small.

THIEVES GET $35,000 LOOT

NEW YORK.—Bandits lowered themselves 150 feet from the roof of an eleven story building and stole silk and dresses valued at $35,000.

FURTHER PENALTIES TO BE IMPOSED IF CO-OPERATION IS REFUSED BY GERMANY

BULLETINS SHOW PROGRESS OF THE FRENCH INVASION

DUESSELDORF.—By The Associated Press.—French troops were under orders Tuesday to occupy the entire neutral zone, halting on the outskirts of Dortmund. This movement will bring the military beyond the line established Monday. The Fortieth French infantry division entered the Ruhr last evening, moving towards Hattingen.

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DORTMUND.—By The Associated Press.—French cavalry appeared on the outskirts of this city at noon Tuesday. It is expected the occupation of the city will be completed by four o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

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DUESSELDORF.—By The Associated Press.—The French now control every outlet from the Ruhr into Germany whether by rail or water. The lines were extended Tuesday through Dortmund, ten kilometers northeast of Luenen, on the Lippe, and thence to Witten, which is seven kilometers south of Dortmund.

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LONDON.—The French authorities at Essen have ordered the German police to arrest the instigators of a demonstration at the Kaiserhof hotel Monday, a Reuter dispatch from Berlin says.

Chancellor Cuno, replying to a telegram from the Essen town council, has promised the city government to do everything possible to alleviate the "hard lot" of the residents.

REPORT MASSING OF GERMAN TROOPS TO NORTH OF DORTMUND

Order Restored at Bochum after Clash Monday in Which One German is Killed

DORTMUND.—By The Associated Press.—French general headquarters has information that 25,000 men of the German reichswehr are concentrated south of Muenster less than 25 miles north of Luenen to the north of Dortmund. The French have advanced to both Dortmund and Luenen, and the outposts of the French and German forces at some points are only from eight to ten miles apart.

Riot at Bochum

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—Order has been restored at Bochum in the newly occupied Ruhr district, where a clash occurred between German demonstrators and the French troops of occupation Monday night, it was officially announced here Tuesday afternoon.

The incident is described in an official communique from the ministry of war as having arisen from demonstrations organized by the young communists of Bochum, Monday, when the French forces occupied the city.

Says Germans Fired First

During one of the demonstrations, at 8 o'clock in the morning, a crowd estimated at 2,000 persons, says the statement, attacked a French post which was occupying the railroad station. The demonstrants fired and traces of the bullets were found in the walls of the building under occupation. The officer in charge of the post ordered his men to fire to clear his detachment, and one of the demonstrators was killed and two others wounded. The French suffered no casualties. The German police reported that the man killed was a stranger in the district.

The attitude of the German authorities was correct, adds the statement and quiet has been restored.

RUHR MAGNATES SUMMONED TO PARLEY TODAY

Failure to Come to Terms Will Result in Harsher Measures Warns French Military Headquarters

MINE OPERATORS DECIDE TO FOLLOW A WAITING POLICY

Stand Firm on Refusal to Furnish Coal and Will Await Further Action by France

ESSEN.—By The Associated Press.—Whatever the outcome of the conference set for Tuesday at Duesseldorf between the German industrial magnates and the French economic mission, the Ruhr valley appears to be in line for an uncompromising military occupation.

"We've tried soft methods and the Germans have refused to co-operate," the correspondent was told at the French military headquarters. "If they don't come to terms now, they will get a taste of what they gave Belgium and Northern France. We will give them something to whine for."

Tuesday's meeting, to which the German industrial leaders had been invited under threat that if they failed to appear they would be sent for, was to be presided over by General Degoutte. From the windows of the conference room in the Duesseldorf city hall, the French tanks, armored cars and infantry were discernible as they moved forward to strengthen the hold of the French upon Germany's rich coal fields.

There was great interest as to whether the Stinnes holdings would comply with the summons to send a representative to the conference. Herr Stinnes himself was reported in Berlin.

Experts Less Optimistic

French economic experts appear somewhat less sanguine than the military leaders over the prospects of obtaining practical results from the occupation. They came here, it is admitted, unprepared for an operation of this magnitude and the turn of events has caused M. Coste, head of the mission, to look rather depressed, although he voiced the opinion that the conference would straighten out the situation.

The about-face position of the German industrials took the French by surprise. They were quite convinced Sunday night that the Germans had agreed in principle to the coal deliveries; hence Monday's breakdown in the negotiations came as a bombshell.

General Degoutte has issued a proclamation in which he declares that if the local authorities, either by their actions or by passive resistance, cause any impediment whatsoever to the normal progress of business, all the penalties deemed necessary will be enforced.

Panic in Berlin

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—The French threat to arrest the German coal directors in the Ruhr valley has caused a panic in Berlin, says a Central News dispatch from the German capital Tuesday afternoon. On the Berlin exchange Tuesday morning the dollar rate was around 18,000 marks.

Operators Await Developments

ESSEN.—By The Associated Press.—The Ruhr valley mine operators, forbidden by the German coal commissioner to make deliveries to the entente, have decided to wait and see what France will do, their spokesmen said Tuesday. The operators regard the occupation as a breach of the Versailles treaty, and declare that any confiscation of private property, such as the mines, will constitute a further violation of that agreement.

In these quarters passive resistance is summed up by the expression: "You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink." If the confiscation is actually effected, it will still remain for the allies to produce engineers capable of properly operating the mines, the mine owners point out, and they are highly confident that a technical personnel of sufficiently high caliber cannot be produced.

Can't Make Them Work

Even should the requisite capacity in the directive machinery be supplied

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MOSCOW WORKMEN PROTEST FRENCH INVASION OF RUHR

MOSCOW.—By The Associated Press.—A demonstration against war and the French occupation of the Ruhr was staged by the workmen of many factories here Monday after ceremonies in observance of the fourth anniversary of the assassination in Berlin of Dr. Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg.

"Down with the French imperialists; long live the German revolution," many of the banners carried read.

Although the communists hope for an ultimate revolution in Germany, the correspondent is informed that Russian government circles prefer tranquility in that country at this time. One widely known communist asserted that if a workman's revolution took place in Germany now, Russia would probably be obliged not only to aid the German communists with arms but to feed the population.

"With Russia short of food herself this would be difficult," he continued. "But the world remembers that we were in worse shape in 1918 than now, yet nevertheless we sent food to aid the German Sparticists which they refused. If any other sort of European war should develop either from the Ruhr situation or the Lausanne conference, it is extremely possible that Russia would be the only great country of Europe sufficiently isolated and sufficiently self-maintained to remain neutral."

MONROE TEACHERS WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING IN TOMAH

Round-up on Feb. 2 and 3 to be Held in Eastern Part of County for First Time

TOMAH, Wis.—For the first time in the history of the Monroe County Teachers' association, the eastern portion of the county draws the big meeting of the year, the round-up, held on February 2 and 3 at Tomah. Also for the first time, the gathering has a social side, planned by the committee of which Miss Rose Drowitzky, assistant in Tomah high school is chairman. A big banquet will be held in the Tomah Armory on the first evening of the round-up. An interesting table program, including music, toasts, reminiscences and stories will be enjoyed. Later the entire association is invited to attend the Tomah-Neillsville basketball game held in the gymnasium. President Asa Royce, of the Platteville State Normal school, and F. M. Bray, principal of the Eau Claire high school, formerly of Tomah, are to attend both the banquet and round-up. The Tomah public schools will be open to inspection on Friday morning, another new feature of this annual meeting of teachers. It is expected that the 1923 session will be the largest and pleasantest "get together" ever held in this county.

The fact that a Monroe county girl, Hazel Wallace, of the Jenkins Valley school, won second place in the state fair declamatory contest, has greatly accelerated the interest in rural Monroe county schools. The county slogan is "first place in the state," and a speeding up is visible throughout the county. Town chairmen have been named by the county superintendent of schools, Harriet Hutson. Rules of the contest are being spread broadcast. A day some time in April will be named as contest day, and at that time teachers in all of the fifty-five rural schools of Monroe county will hold their contests. The final contest will occur in June on the courthouse lawn in Sparta, the county seat.

ASKS MENTAL AND PHYSICAL EXAMS BEFORE MARRIAGE

SALEM, Ore.—Men and women applicants for marriage certificates would be required to pass both a physical and mental test under the terms of a bill introduced in the legislature Tuesday by Mrs. C. B. Simmons, representative of Multnomah county.

Failure to pass this examination would preclude the issuance of a marriage license unless one or both parties submitted to sterilization. The bill would require the mentality of at least a twelve-year-old child to permit the granting of a certificate.

ITALY WARNS FRANCE TO GO SLOW IN RUHR

ROME.—Premier Mussolini told his cabinet that Italy had advised France to limit her actions in the Ruhr valley and not shut the door upon a possible agreement.

MINNESOTA PIONEER DIES

TAYLORS FALLS, Minn.—John (Uncle John) Daniels, who celebrated his one hundred and third birthday, Oct. 6 died at the home of a nephew here on Sunday. He was a pioneer resident of Minnesota and the last surviving member of the Minnesota and St. Croix Valley Old Settlers' association.

Advertisement

TAKE SALTS IF STOMACH ISN'T ACTING RIGHT

Says Indigestion Results from an Excess of Hydrochloric Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather ferments, the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that Indigestion is caused by Hyperacidity, meaning there is an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts food fermentation. Thus everything eaten sours in the stomach, forming acid fluids and gases. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest, we eructate food or have heartburn, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink it while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to help neutralize the acidity, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used for many stomach disorders with excellent results.

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AT SPURGEON'S.

U. S. WILLING TO GIVE BRITAIN FIFTY YEARS TO PAY WAR DEBT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The British debt commission expected to be ready to resume late Tuesday negotiation with the American commission on the refunding of the British debt. The scheduled meeting Monday was postponed while the British awaited instructions from their government on certain points over which a difference of view is understood to have developed. The points involved were not disclosed.

On the question of the time of final payment on the debt the suggestions thus far developed were said to range from fifty to sixty-six years with the American commission proposing the shorter period and the British the longer as compared with the twenty-five years limitation fixed by congress. It is on the question of interest rate, however, that the two delegations are believed to be farthest apart.

On this point, which American officials declined to discuss, the only statement made was that the United States could not accept a rate as low as three per cent and also that a graduated rate, of which there have been suggestions, would be undesirable for several reasons.

Cabinet Considers Debts

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—The British cabinet Monday afternoon had before it the full details of the debt funding negotiations being conducted at Washington. It is believed here that Chancellor of the Exchequer Baldwin found it necessary to ask his government for power to close the negotiations on a basis which would involve changes in the original instructions under which the British commission went to Washington. The cabinet was expected to wire the chancellor its decision Monday night.

HUBER CALLS FOR U. S. PROTECTION FOR CHILD LABOR

Would Memorialize Congress to Amend Constitution to Make Legislation Possible

MADISON, Wis.—The Wisconsin legislature, in a resolution introduced Tuesday by Senator Henry A. Huber, Stoughton, was asked to memorialize congress to amend the federal constitution so as to permit the enactment of a federal child labor law.

"It is almost universally conceded that the child labor laws are essential if we are to have our young people sound physically and mentally," the resolution stated. "Statistics show that those states having the best child labor laws also have the best school attendance and the smallest percentage of accidents in industry.

"Congress has passed two child labor laws since 1916 each of which has been held unconstitutional by the supreme court of the United States. The [illegible] believes that it will be for the best interests of the country that a federal child labor law be enacted as promptly as possible rather than wait for action by the separate states which will require years of delay," the resolution asserted.

Copies of the resolution if adopted will be sent to President Harding, the speaker of the house and to each senator and representative in congress from Wisconsin.

SERVICES FOR MANN HELD

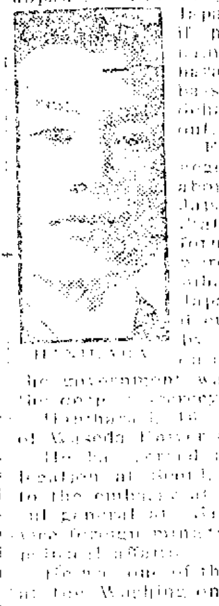
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Speaker Gillett presided on Sunday over a special session of the house at which republicans and democrats paid tribute to the long service of Representative James R. Mann of Illinois, who died here last Thursday night.

LEGION APPROVES INVASION

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Members of the executive committee of the American Legion passed resolutions approving the French action in the Ruhr valley and the Legion's [illegible].

HANIHARA

Once "Bad Boy" of Jap Diplomacy, He's Now Slated to Represent Nippon in Washington.



HANIHARA

TOKYO.—A man known only two years ago as the "Peck's bad boy" of Japanese diplomacy will represent Japan at Washington if present plans to name Masano Hanihara to succeed Ambassador Kijuro Shidehara are carried out.

For in 1920, when negotiations to bring about amity between Japan and the United States over the California land question were in progress, Hanihara caused the Japanese government an embarrassment by making speeches on the question when the government wanted it veiled in the cope of secrecy.

Hanihara is 46. He is a graduate of Waseda University.

He has served as attache of the legation at Seoul, Korea, secretary to the embassy at Washington, consul general at San Francisco and vice foreign minister and director of political affairs.

He was one of the senior delegates at the Washington arms conference in 1921.

AFTER WIFE'S JEWELS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Police were investigating a report that Charles P. [illegible] of Buffalo was on his way here to negotiate with the men who robbed his wife of jewelry valued at $100,000 New Year's Eve.

[illegible]

Dr. KING'S PILLS
—for constipation
For liver ills

INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM BILL OFFERED BY HUBER

Modified Plan Would Give People Direct Voice in Passing on Legislation

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—The initiative and referendum is proposed in a resolution introduced Tuesday by Senator Henry A. Huber of Stoughton, calling for an amendment to the Wisconsin constitution to give the people of the state a direct voice in passing on legislation.

The measure brought before the senate by the Stoughton senator is similar to that introduced by him in the 1920 session. It was defeated in the upper house at that time but comes before the present administration controlled senate with the indorsement of the governor. It is practically assured of passage.

The resolution provides that no law enacted by the legislature, except an emergency law, can take effect before 90 days after its passage and publication. If within that time a petition signed by 10 per cent of the voters is filed asking that the law or any portion of it be submitted to the people, such a law shall not take effect within 30 days after its approval by a majority of the qualified voters of the state.

An emergency law shall remain in force, the resolution states, notwithstanding such petition, but shall stand repealed 30 days after being rejected by a majority of the voters. A two-thirds vote of the legislature is necessary to designate a law an emergency law.

The legislature would be called upon to furnish a text of all measures to be voted on, to the people.

The same resolution provides that the initiative and referendum may be used in amending the constitution. Any legislator is given authority to introduce a proposed amendment to the basic law of the state, and if 10 per cent of the voters petition to have the matter submitted to a poll, the measure must be voted on at the next general election. If it received a majority of the votes cast it would become a part of the constitution.

This modified initiative and referendum proposed for Wisconsin would permit laws to be proposed only by the legislature, but once before that body the people would require that they be brought directly before the voters.

MAY BUY CHILE MINE

NEW YORK.—John D. Ryan of the Anaconda copper mining company announced his organization was negotiating for control of the Chile copper company in a deal involving $150,000,000.

One swallow eats about 6,000 flies in a [illegible]

ACCEPT COMPROMISE

OMAHA, Neb.—A plan for settlement of the controversy between the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific lines has been accepted by the former railroad, an Omaha newspaper quoted President Gray of the Union Pacific.

COAL PRICES AT PEAK

WASHINGTON.—Federal fuel distributor Wadleigh declared coal prices have about reached peak level.

New Orleans and The Gulf Coast.

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50 cents to $1.50

Sweaters were from $1.50 to $5.00, now you can have them at—

75 cents to $2.50

Items in the Domestic Section

That sheet, 81x99 (note the size please)—at $1.75 is less than market price now—you may have as many as you wish, at $1.75

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8 only—9x12 ft. size, Hardwick Wilton Rugs, $120.00 value, special at each $96.00
5 only—9x12 ft. size, highest grade Wilton Rugs, $135.00 value, special at each $108.00
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TRUST IN HIM

COMMIT thy way unto the Lord; trust also in Him; and He shall bring it to pass. Psalms 37:5.

Its Wider Consequences

WE are asked by a correspondent to "tell us some day just why the Germans are entitled to different treatment from other people." He refers to the question of French occupation of the Ruhr, and in support of his inferential position he cites the history of Germany's treatment of France following their last previous conflict. And it shows, as everyone must at once admit, that Germany was no more tender with France when she held the whip than France is just now.

If we were to consider the problem only as one of right and wrong between Germany and France, we would not feel called upon adversely to criticise French policy. Indeed, we might go so far as to say that it was none of our business.

But folks who see in our position only a defense of Germany fail ertirely to get our point of view. Had France won its fight alone, it might be in a position to say to the rest of the world that it had a right to use what measures it chose with Germany irrespective of their consequences upon the rest of the world.

But France did not win alone. Other nations were in the light. The United States did not go in for the purpose of permitting France to recoup its war losses by the seizure of German territory. We entered this war in order to protect the world, ourselves included, from future wars. And so it seems to us we have a right to say that France is under obligation not to collect her reimbursement in a manner calculated to nullify the efforts of those who in fighting with her fought the menace which modern warfare has become.

Men who follow current business reports are familiar with the fact that at the beginning of a year which should be an extremely prosperous one in this country we feel everywhere the hesitancy with which business men regard a French policy apparently calculated to destroy one of the world's greatest markets, and to plunge countries dependent upon it into a condition of chaos and threatened bankruptcy.

Were that all it would be enough to create fairly universal objection to the French policy. But it is not the most important thing that seems to be growing out of the situation. At a time when undoubtedly the world already would have plunged into a new war but for lack of resources, and at a time when it has been fairly demonstrated that another war would wreck human society, France is adopting a course calculated greatly to increase the chances of war. Bolshevism and anarchy watch gleefully. Level headed statesmen are alarmed. It is no time to make the mistake of assuming a partisan attitude toward what should be modern civilization's greatest nonpartisan problem.

"Demand Brisk"

CORN, the only native American grain, is getting as great a boost in world esteem by the recent events of war and peace as the native American dollar. Just the other day the department of agriculture announced that in 1922 this country exported more corn than in any other year. And just after that the American Relief administration mentioned, in its report, that corn was becoming a popular favorite in Russia, that both for food and seed it was in great demand, and suggested that the American farmer would find an even greater export market for this leading crop next year.

In other words, the widespread bounty of the United States has been doing for the American corn-farmers what the raisin-growers and orange orchardists of California did on a national scale for themselves—advertising to build up a market. That was not its intention, of course. Mr. Hoover, in picking corn as a staple of American relief all over the world simply selected that food which was most nourishing and most available this side of the water. The advertising that has resulted in record-breaking exports is a sort of unearned increement. Not that we aren't entitled to it—it's all we get, not excluding credit, to judge by the present popularity of Uncle Sam in certain countries where he has done a great deal of relief work. But it may prove a handy little item, at that. At least to the middle west, where corn grows without half trying, and where skilled agriculture smashes acre-yield records with pleasing regularity, it ought to be of value. A good cash market abroad for American corn will help tremendously to make bumper crops of good years a blessing to the farmer. And, sometimes by swamping the market, they have proved a very much mixed blessing in the past.

Of course this condition is more or less temporary. Corn is in greater demand than ever before largely because European agriculture is "shot," and the people have to eat what they can get. If Europe were magically to be restored to normalcy tomorrow, the demand and appreciation for corn would doubtless decline with startling rapidity. But there is small prospect of any such transformation. European agriculture will remain crippled for a good long time to come, to judge by all indications. And Europe will continue to eat corn. And if they keep at it, they'll get the habit. For corn, when all is said and done, has many other recommendations than necessity. It is distinctly pleasant to take in as many or more forms than wheat or barley, hitherto the staple grains of Europe.

All of which, however, will not do the American farmer a whole lot of good unless there exists in Europe not only a demand but the ability to satisfy it. Unscalable tariff walls in this country which prevent the exchange of goods for corn, lunatic international politics that beggars everybody in Europe and ties productive industry in knots, are among the present factors which militate against a satisfactory foreign market for the American farmer. The farmer who figures that foreign affairs and export trade have no meaning for him is making a first-class mistake. And he's been paying for making it, too.

Tom Sims Says:

The nice thing about being a man is you don't have to stay home after you wash your head.

They claim an auto in Cleveland went two blocks without a driver. It must be a 1924 model.

Bootleggers have an easier time in winter because in summer it is too hot to wear overcoats.

Hardest thing about 1923 so far is remembering your new auto tag number.

Business might get better real quick if it was against the law.

One man who can make any business pay is the tax collector.

Men will wear rouge until cheek to cheek dancing goes out.

The greatest place on earth is usually some other place.

Only way to end divorce is marry your second wife first.

Last year was not as great as this year can be.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Mr. Ben Volla and family are moving to Onalaska from Dickinson, N. D. They will occupy the Peterson home.

Mrs. G. W. Garrett and niece, Miss Mabel A. Young, have gone to Washington, D. C., to attend the wedding of Mrs. Garrett's son, Mr. George Angus Garrett, to Miss Alice Vandergrist, which takes place today.

The removal of the La Crosse rubber mills to Minneapolis or its remaining in La Crosse and the building of a factory more than doubling its output and employment of twice as many people hung by a hair last night when the common council assembled in an adjourned meeting. A letter setting forth the failure of the company's efforts to obtain the improvement of St. Andrews street and implying that its removal or stay was contingent upon the granting of this request by the common council was received by Mayor Dengler yesterday. When this became known at the council meeting last night the question of improving the street came up for a vote and a resolution ordering the improvement was passed unanimously.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

L. Wolff of Davenport, Iowa, formerly traveling salesman for the Wisconsin Pearl Button factory of this city, proposes to organize a company for the manufacture of pearl buttons. The company's capital stock will be $50,000 and its factory will be built in La Crosse.

Mr. G. W. Cooper and wife have gone to Montreal, Canada, to live.

The C. H. Nichols Lumber company, whose headquarters is at Onalaska, is making arrangements to open a branch retail lumber yard in North La Crosse.

Rev. Julius Gamm has been elected president of the La Crosse Lutheran Hospital association to succeed Rev. A. K. Sagen, who resigned. Rev. E. O. Vik was elected vice president; O. R. Skaar, secretary, and Adam Kroner, treasurer. Bishop Sagen resigned in order to give the synod, over which he was recently elected head, his undivided attention.

A daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hixon.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

John H. Miller, letter carrier, has bought the property at 1006 Caledonia street of Dr. Swarthout for $1,400.

George W. Howe of Rockford, Ill., arrived in the city last evening and will in future be connected with the La Crosse Knitting company.

William Neumeister has been awarded the contract for furnishing the city schools with 650 cords of wood at $3.50 per cord.

Elvin Heiberg of this city is among those successful in passing the examination which decided how many of the cadets were to remain in the academy. Out of 130 candidates, twenty-eight failed to pass.

Pork came up to $8.25 this afternoon.

Dave Aiken of Onalaska is in the city purchasing horses for his camp at East Fork.

James Fay has gone to Lansing, Iowa, where he intends to make his future home.

L. W. Lohmiller left La Crosse today for the Pacific slope. He will locate in Portland, Oregon.

Abe Martin



One good thing—th' lawyers don't git a whack out o' all th' trials o' this life. We wouldn' be surprised t' see a revival o' th' ole sayin', "not by a jug full."

The Short and Long of It

By DORA MOLLAN

When Elsa David was old enough to wear her skirts longer, she wore them shorter. For it was the fashion and, oh, so economical! Yet not too long ago for our grandmothers to recollect—if they could be persuaded to pause long enough in their jawing to reminisce at all — a girl of say twenty, had been entitled for some two years to the wearing of a train. Robert Corbin who occupied the large front room on the second floor of Mrs. Beebe's rooming house, at the other end of the long hall from Elsa's small one, could even remember when his sister had graduated from high-school in the glory of one and the awe and admiration which it had excited in his own small self. Right then Robert had decided that his wife should wear a train—always.

Alas for his vow! As his life lengthened, skirts shortened. But though Robert was within touching distance of thirty when Elsa David came to room at Mrs. Beebe's, yet he still dreamed of some day asking some girl if he might buy her skirt material by the yard instead of by the inch.

There was one skirt in particular which Elsa wore, Robert disliked it exceedingly. Kelly green plaid and fringed at the bottom. The fringe fell just below Elsa's shapely knees, and dangling from Elsa's tapering fingers a Kelly green leather bag fell just below the fringe. Surely money trusted to the keeping of such a purse was bound to lose all sense of responsibility and come popping gayly forth at the first silly inducement.

The girl didn't like him either, Robert decided. Well, he didn't want a girl who dressed like that to like him.

The big, strong-featured young man in the front room did not approve of her, Elsa knew intuitively. Well what did she care? He was probably the sort who would aim to keep his wife contended by telling her how pretty she looked in a bungalow apron, anyway.

And so Robert went on disapproving, wholly to himself, of the girl in the back room, while Elsa flipped her abbreviated skirts in and out of Mrs. Beebe's front door, just casually nodding to the young man in the front room—until:

One day Robert Corbin, returning to his room at noon which he very seldom did, ran up the stairs and stumbling on the top one dropped his key. The hall in that particular spot was dark. He struck a match and found the key with little trouble. It had fallen beside a Kelly green bag he recognized at once as the one Elsa carried with the atrocious green skirt.

In his room, with the door closed behind him, Robert sat down in a dilapidated but comfortable old arm chair and placed the bag on his knees. It was shabby at the corners and the handle was worn from much contact with Elsa's fingers. Robert felt a sudden impulse to kiss that worn spot, and was so taken by surprise by that impulse and so embarrassed by it in his own sight that he opened the clasp quite without meaning to do so and beheld its contents. Two dimes, one nickel, a mirror and a powder puff. Fit cargo, indeed, for such a travesty of a purse!

He would leave it with Mrs. Beebe. No, he would knock on the girl's door, she might be in. Robert didn't stop to analyze this decision, but started through the hall. Halfway down brought him within range of the landlady's strident voice, which seemed to be always striving to attain the heights her stature lacked.

"I hope you find your bag, Miss David—and the eight dollars you say was in it—before Saturday night, or I advise you to look for another room."

"You can't hope so any more than I, Mrs. Beebe." If there was a doubling-Thomas tone in the landlady's voice there was a rueful note in Elsa's.

Right here Robert Corbin experienced his second impulse regarding that green bag—and yielded. Pausing long enough to take something from his pocket and to fumble with the clasps, he continued on down the hall. "This is yours, I think, Miss David."

Elsa took her bag and her voice said, "Why thank you, Mr. Corbin!" But her eyes looked that out of a world filled with stupid and clumsy men, without a doubt he was the most clumsy and stupid of all.

"Now that you have found your money perhaps you will be good enough to pay me," shrilled Mrs. Beebe. And as Elsa stood irresolute, "You don't suspect Mr. Corbin's honesty, I hope?"

With a countenance devoid of all expression Elsa opened the green bag and looked in. Without lifting her eyes she took out a ten dollar bill and handed it to the landlady. While the latter was making change with a thin "thank you!" Robert took the opportunity to go on his way. At the slamming of the front door, Elsa looked up.

That evening Robert Corbin sat in the comfortable, shabby easy chair ragging himself for the easy way in which he had fallen a victim to a girl who suited his ideal only in those particulars for which she deserved no credit—her God-given lithesome body and glorious shimmering hair, the color of white gold. A girl who could fib—and graft.

Came a knock and with a vision of an outrageous green skirt before his eyes the occupant of the front room hastened to answer it. But there stood the princess of his boyhood dreams. A willowly, gracious creature garbed in something soft and clinging and silken and white whose indefinite folds concealed and revealed and which, if it did not terminate in an actual train, at least touched or nearly touched the floor in spots.

"May I come in—and explain—and thank you?" asked Elsa David.

Robert Corbin's eyes spoke for his tongue—the latter seemed an unnecessary part of his anatomy just then. Elsa crossed to the worn old easy chair which immediately took on the attributes of a throne. Finding Robert's gaze somewhat disconcerting but betraying her embarrassment only by an increase of color which made her yet the more enticing, the girl began:

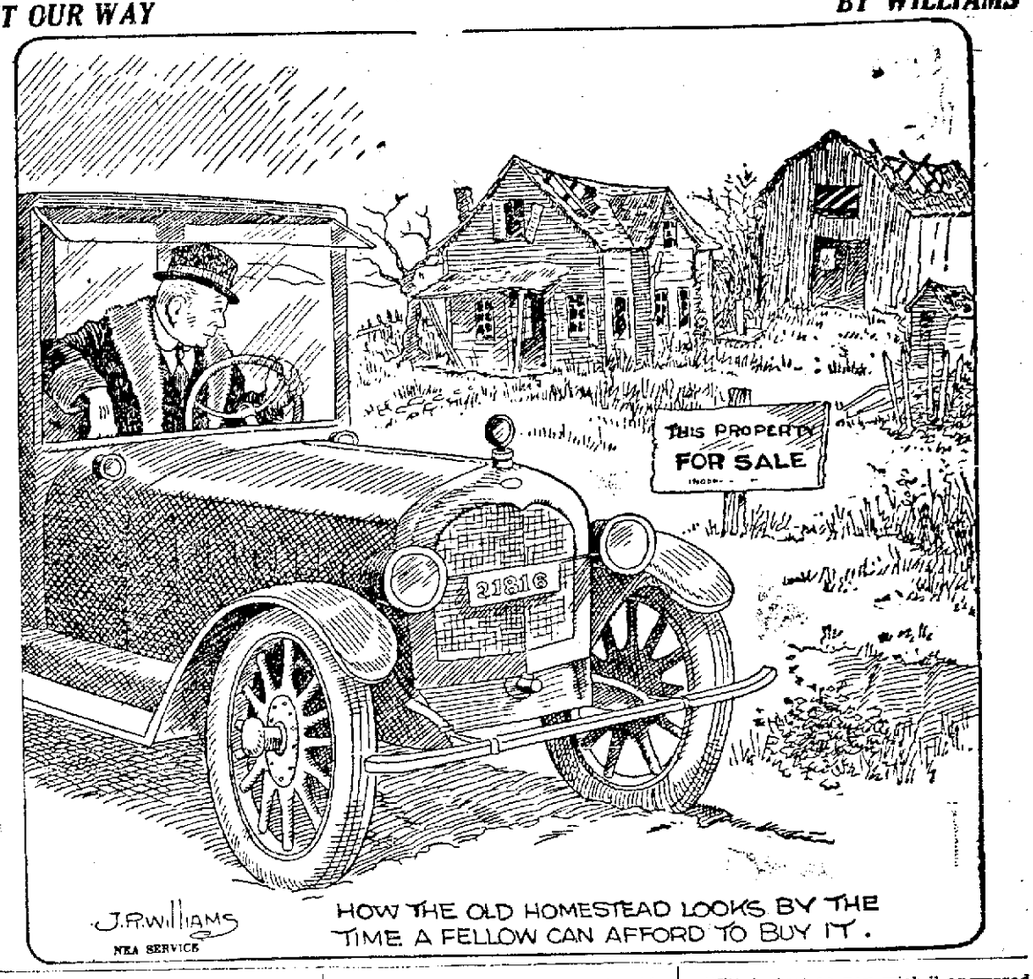
"Ever since I was a child and devoured fairy tales I have longed for a train, but when I grew up enough to wear one there weren't any. Now they say long skirts are coming back into their own again. I don't know, but I saw this frock in a shop window—and fell. It took my last cent and I threw my bag into that dark corner purposely so as to have a quarter way truthful excuse for Mrs. Beebe when she came to dun me. Now thank you for coming to my rescue so gallantly Mr. Corbin, and think your worst of me. Of course I will pay you back as soon as possible."

"Go out and put on that gypsy rig if you expect me to send you," spoke Robert with his tongue, while his eyes said plainly: "You are beautiful in that gown like the princess I dreamed of when I was a little boy. I wonder? Could I perhaps persuade you to make that old dream of mine come true?"

"I'll do just as you wish," answered Elsa meekly and then, as if reading his thoughts and scared by her reply, she fled down the hall urged by that primeval instinct that heeds not changing fashions, and endures through the ages.

OUT OUR WAY

BY WILLIAMS



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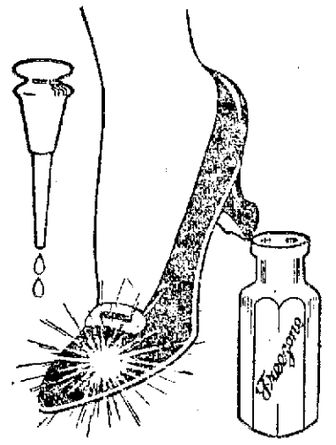
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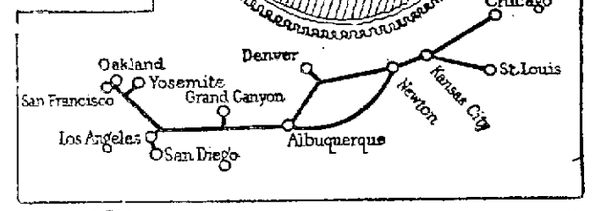
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SEVERSON SAYS DRY ACT WILL WEATHER LEGISLATIVE STORM

Enforcement Act Will Come Through Session Unscathed Predicts Author

DECLARES WET BILL CANNOT GET MAJORITY IN THE SENATE

"Beer Statesmanship" Carries Little Weight Says Iola Man

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—The Severson prohibition enforcement law will weather all opposition and emerge from the 1923 session of the Wisconsin legislature without alteration, Senator H. J. Severson, Iola, its author, predicted Tuesday. He is confident that the upper house will be able to block any move for repeal or modification of the statute, and that in this stand it will have the backing of Governor Blaine.

While a score of bills attacking prohibition enforcement are either introduced into the legislature or in the course of preparation, none of these measures will ever get to the governor, Senator Severson is confident. It is his belief that no wet measure of importance can muster a majority in the senate.

Won't Change Law

"This beer statesmanship on the part of certain members of the legislature carries little weight," the senator declared. "It has a certain popular appeal that may attract some of the constituents of the authors of these bills, but so far as the legislature is concerned, I expect that the present law will remain intact."

Already three bills calling for repeal of the severson law have been introduced and one resolution memorializing Congress for the return of wine and beer has been brought before the assembly. This last proposal will be the center of a fight between the wets and drys, with the outcome still in doubt. It is generally admitted that the assembly will be favorable, but the senate is expected to be dry by a margin of one vote.

Word has come from a source close to the governor that he would prefer to have the Severson enforcement statute stand unamended by the legislature. If there must be a change, his attitude, expressed in the Republican platform, would be that the search and seizure clause be modified to require a strict search of homes to require a warrant based upon absolute knowledge, rather than information and belief.

May Order Referendum

There is also the possibility that a referendum on some phase of the wet and dry issue may get through this session. This would probably call off a vote on the question of beer and wine, or ask an expression of the people in repeal of the Eighteenth amendment to the constitution.

"Any attempt to call for a referendum on a substitute enforcement statute to replace the Severson law will be opposed by the drys of this house," Senator Severson said. "The assembly is admittedly wet and may pass the wet bills, but the senate is divided so closely that we can predict the continuance of the present enforcement statute."

Both the senate and assembly have state affair committees that are controlled by the drys. These committees handle all liquor legislation and have a marked influence on the course of bills.

This fact and the close division in the senate, with the drys confident of a slight lead, lends credence to the prediction that the existing enforcement statute will remain as the state's liquor law for the next two years at least.

WISCONSIN WOMEN LAUNCH DRIVE TO GET NOBEL PEACE PRIZE FOR JANE ADDAMS

MADISON, Wis.—A movement to secure for Miss Jane Addams of Hull House time the Nobel peace prize has actively opened in Wisconsin. Miss Addams, for many years a resident of this state, has taken a leading part in the movement of the Wisconsin branch of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom.

Miss Eleanor F. Curtin, Milwaukee, secretary of the Wisconsin branch, is sending out this week letters enlisting the support of prominent Badgers to gain for Miss Addams this international recognition. It seems probable that a resolution will be introduced in the legislature backing this position. Miss Addams was born in Rockford, Illinois but spent most of her early life in Wisconsin. Several years ago the Nobel prize was awarded Knut M. Hamsen of Norway who was at one time a clerk in Elroy.

"The Wisconsin branch of the Womens' International League for Peace and Freedom is endorsing this project," says Miss Curtin, "and wishes to call the attention of some of our prominent men and women of the state to the work of Miss Addams, which we feel qualifies her perhaps more than any other American for this honor, in the hope that they will lend their influence and support at this time. Her work at Hull House among all races for over twenty-five years, her leadership in international conferences and her writings, culminating in her last book, "Peace and Bread in Time of War," make her pre-eminently fitted for recognition by the Nobel Prize.

"We also feel that America and Americans have made some contribution to world peace during the last seven years, and it would be appropriate and encouraging for this country to receive recognition through one of its leading citizens, and we want America's testimony of Miss Addams to be even stronger than that from other nations."

GERMANY ASKS DATA

COBLENZ.—Germany has requested information regarding the conduct of American provost courts in the occupied zone to enable them to obtain data for a book they are compiling on occupation.

WOMAN NAMED COUNTY CLERK

BARABOO, Wis.—E. A. Cooper, for many years county clerk of Sauk county, tendered his resignation to the county board, which was accepted. Miss Nellie Seales, his assistant, was elected to succeed him.

CHICAGO PREXY QUITS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Harry Pratt Judson, president of the University of Chicago since 1907, resigned.

DR. HARRINGTON TO ADDRESS NURSES ON TUBERCULOSIS WORK

Dr. T. L. Harrington of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association, is to give a lecture at the Grandview hospital nurses' home Wednesday evening, January 17, at 7:30. Doctor Harrington will talk on "Tuberculosis nursing from the public health standpoint." The lecture is given as a part of the public health course given by the health department and is especially for the student nurses from all of the city hospitals. All graduate nurses and other people interested in health are invited to attend.

THREE DIE IN ACCIDENT

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Three persons were killed and two injured in a railroad grade crossing accident when a Santa Fe passenger train struck a motor car.

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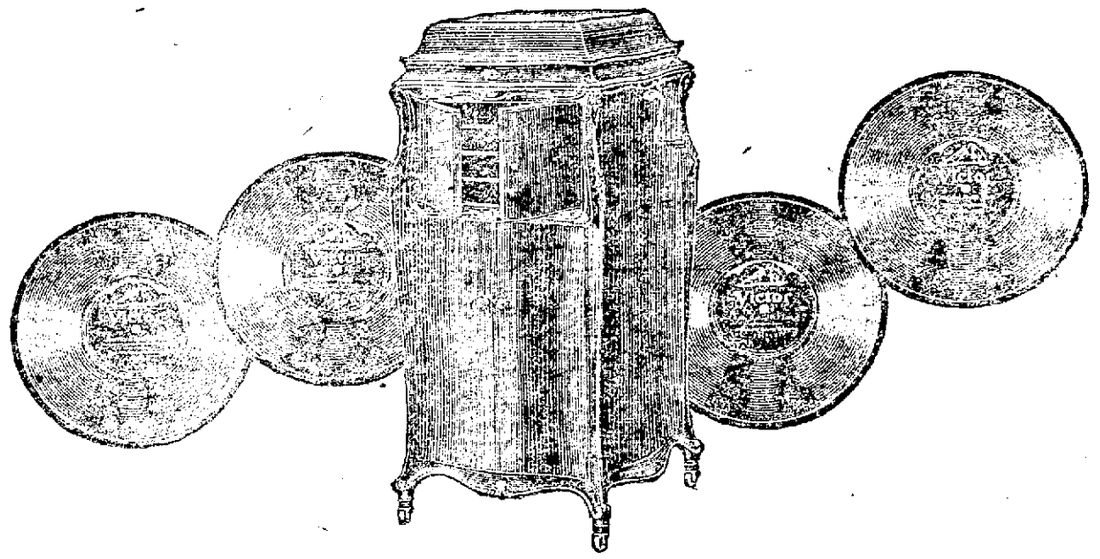
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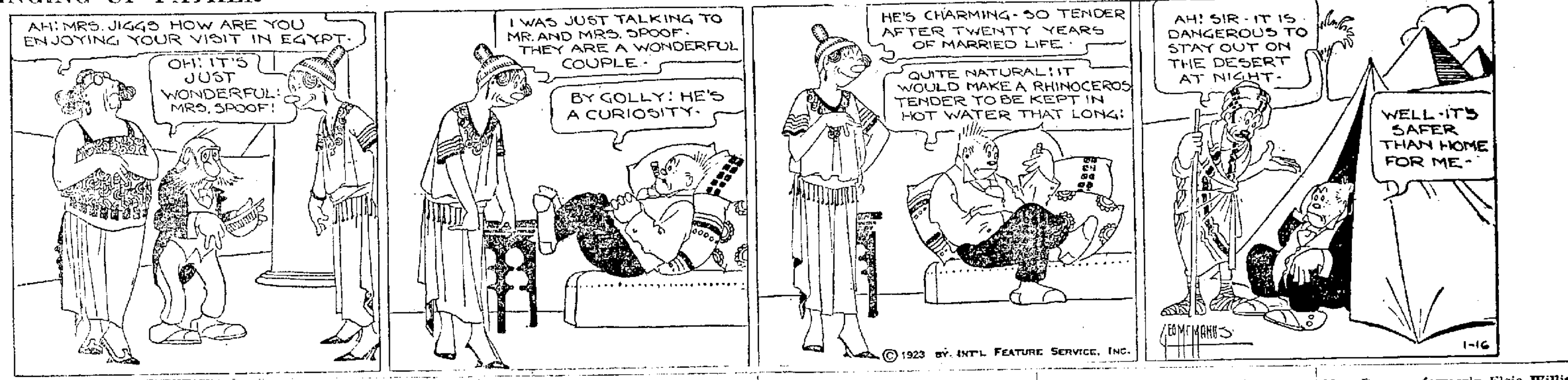
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By GEORGE McMANUS



NO INDEPENDENTS IN OIL INDUSTRY CLAIMS WITNESS

WASHINGTON.—Entering for the first time the "independent" field in the oil business, the senate oil investigating committee Monday was told by L. V. Nicholas of Omaha, president of the National Petroleum Marketers' association, that "there is no real independence in the oil industry."

"Competition in the oil industry," said Mr. Nicholas, "is dependent on a type of transportation and on a system of prices of which we independents as distinguished from the Standard group, have no control. If we start competition, we go up against a series of reprisals that discourages one against trying the experiment more than once."

Society

SPLENDID TALK IS GIVEN AT LEGION BY MRS. SEXAUER

THE SERVICE STAR LEGION held its regular meeting Monday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. After a short business session, Mrs. [illegible] Sexauer gave a very interesting talk on her three months' trip abroad last summer. The tour took the party through many of the principal cities of England, Belgium, France, Switzerland, Italy, Turkey, Greece, Egypt, Bulgaria, Austria and Germany. Not only did they visit the big cathedrals, art galleries and public buildings, but they spent a great portion of their time in the rural districts. Her description of the people, their dress, the architectural style of the homes, the soil, the crops and the country in general was very interesting and instructive and especially so were her impressions of the Holy Land and many of the old historic places of the Bible. The hostesses were Mesdames Edward Kevin, George H. Hetz, James Day, Anna Hilbert, Henry Benemon, Edward Cronce and John Lyden and Miss Emma [illegible].

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THE LADIES' AID society of the Bethel Lutheran church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors. Mrs. Severt Jones will entertain.

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THE JANUARY CIRCLE of the Woman's Union of the First Congregational church will serve a chicken pie supper at the church parlors on Thursday from 6:30 on. The public is invited.

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THE JANUARY meeting of the Young People's society of Our Savior's Lutheran church, Sixth and Division streets, will be held on Wednesday evening, and will be entertained by [illegible] and Sara Magelssen, Irene and Ovidia Anderson, Ove Gniserud, [illegible] Vander and Alvin Anderson. The program will include violin selections by Prof. Kvelve. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

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THE LADIES' AID society of the West Avenue Methodist church meets Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors and will be entertained by Mesdames William Edwards, W. A. [illegible], H. A. Broitzman and Albert McLeod.

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MRS. HALE A. STOW of Daggett, Mich., has arrived for a visit at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. M. L. Kinnear.

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MISS ALICE Green of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Krueger.

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THE LADIES' UNION of the Tabernacle Baptist church will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. H. C. Clements, 716 St. James street. A missionary program will be given and a dainty supper will be served. A cordial invitation to all.

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THE MEMBERS of the La Crosse [illegible] Women['s] club held an [illegible] [illegible] Monday night [illegible] the regular monthly dinner [illegible] of the Y. W. C. A. The [illegible] was appetizing and was [illegible] of the members [illegible]. Following this Miss Jo[illegible] Hintgen gave an informal talk [illegible] of Harvard, when [illegible]. She talked [illegible] of the buildings [illegible] the life of the [illegible]. She also spoke of old fashioned [illegible] with its quaint ways [illegible] old [illegible]. In her stud[y] [illegible] Harvard Miss Hintgen took [illegible] course. She holds [illegible] of supervisor of school [illegible] in this city.

Before and after Miss Hintgen's talk [illegible] a radio entertainment [illegible] of concerts at Chicago, Kansas City and other cities being heard.

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MR. AND MRS. J. W. Sawyer have gone to St. Paul for a short visit at the old home of Mrs. Sawyer, before leaving to spend the winter at New Orleans, where Mr. Sawyer has a brother and a sister. Mrs. Sawyer was a social favorite in society and will be greatly missed by her many friends. Mr. Sawyer was formerly of the Mortgage company of this city.

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MISS EDNA Thomas has returned home from a visit of two weeks at Minneapolis.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that the time for the payment of that part of the city's share of the 1922 taxes amounting to six and one half mills of the assessed valuation of the city of La Crosse for the year 1922, be and the same is hereby extended until the 31st day of March, 1923, without penalty, and that the time for the payment of another part of the city's share of the 1922 taxes amounting to six and one-half mills of the assessed valuation of the city of La Crosse for 1922, be and the same is hereby extended until the 30th day of April, 1923, and that the extension of time for payment of said parts of the city's share of the taxes, shall operate as a suspension of penalties for non-payment upon said parts of the city's share of taxes, providing that the same shall be paid within the time in this resolution limited, plus interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from the first day of March, 1923, to the date of payment of each such part; and that the balance of the city's share and all of the state and county's share of the 1922 taxes shall be paid on or before the 28th day of February, 1923, and until said 28th day of February, 1923, all taxes may be paid without the payment of penalties, and provided further that the extension of time herein granted as to parts of the city's share of the 1922 taxes, shall not be operative in favor of any taxpayer unless he shall have paid all of the city's and county's share of the taxes, and that part of the city's share the time for payment of which is not extended on or before the 28th day of February, 1923.

Attention: The above does not include income taxes.

J. GEO. SCHWEIZER,
City Treasurer.

WOULD INCREASE LIMIT OF STATE INSURANCE

MADISON, Wis.—A bill permitting the state, under its life insurance system, to issue policies up to $5,000, instead of $1,000 now set, was introduced in the lower house Tuesday by Assemblyman Elsner, Milwaukee.

Local News

Yeomen Arabian fair; tickets for week on sale tonight. One big time every night. Come.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Lagenbach have returned from Chicago, where they attended the furniture market.

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Ask Fourth Building Association.

Miss Florence S. Webb of Angola, Ind., has been assigned at the state library school in Madison to spend February and March taking up practical work in the La Crosse public library.

A Luncheon will be given by the Y. P. S. of St. Paul's Lutheran church West Ave. and Division street, Friday evening Jan. 19, 5 to 8 o'clock.

Osteopathy, Dr. Jorris Newburg Bg.

Harvey Veir is confined to his home, 2129 Wood street with a severe attack of appendicitis.

Prize Masquerade given by D. of H. Friday, Jan. 19, K. P. hall. Everybody welcome. Frisco Syncopators.

Phone 170 before 6 p. m. for baggage calls. Gateway City Transfer Co.

Miss Marjoria Larson has returned home, at Leroy, Minn., after a week's visit with her aunts, Mrs. J. J. Veir 2130 Wood street and Mrs. J. M. Knox 2322 Prospect street.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Moseley 1131 South Third street left Monday night for Daytona Beach, Florida to visit his uncle. On their return trip they will stop at Boston, New York, Washington, D. C. and Chicago.

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Allan J. Veir spent Sunday at Galesville his former residence.

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Mrs. M. Deegan formerly Miss Elizabeth Morris, is reported to be quite ill at St. Francis hospital.

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Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Rivoli Bg.

Albert Moldenhauer of Pine Creek has disposed of his interest in his farm to his brother David and has moved to La Crosse with his family.

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George E. Taylor has gone to Florida for a vacation during the "fag end" of the winter.

The Rebekkah Lodge will give a Hard Times Party at the I. O. O. F. hall Wed., evening Jan. 17th. All Rebekkahs, Odd Fellows and their friends invited. Lunch will be served.

Mrs. Harley Lorton, 1800 Charles street, is confined at the Lutheran Hospital.

Roller Skating tonight at Gov. Guards Rink.

Mrs. P. M. Marcou and Miss Gertrude Shay have gone to Winona for a short visit.

Big Arabian Fair, Yeomen hall every night this week. Admission 10c. Dancing 5c couple.

C. J. Higgins, first trick operator at the Milwaukee depot on the north side is spending a few days looking over the ground at his old home in Watertown. Operator Anderson is taking his place on the first trick.

Barrel Race on roller skates tomorrow night. Lots of fun. Four prizes. Gov. Guards Rink.

Edward Kessler, chairman of the Milwaukee trainmen's grievance committee is planning a trip to Chicago, where he will assist in working out a new schedule for the trainmen.

Chicken Pie Supper Congregational church 6:15 Thursday, Jan. 18. Public invited.

Mrs. James A. Squier, 1443 Avon street, is ill at her home.

Special communication. Frontier lodge No. 45 F. & A. M. Brethren will meet at Mason Temple 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, January 17th, to attend funeral services for our late brother, C. A. Smith. Thomas A. Walker, W. M.

Park Superintendent Ritter reports that night prowlers broke into the Myrick park shelter house Sunday night. Nothing was apparently disturbed or missing.

A committee of city officials, including E. C. Blake city engineer, George Fuller, street foreman, and Aldermen Newburg and Roellig, left Monday night for Chicago to attend the road show. The committee was instructed to look over various types of street sweepers.

Mrs. Elsie Dreager has returned to her home at Aberdeen, S. D. She was called here on account of the death and burial of her brother Dell J. Williams. Mrs. Dreager is a cousin of Mrs. J. M. Knox 2322 Prospect street and Mrs. J. J. Veir 2130 Wood street. Mrs. Dreager formerly Elsie Williams was a resident of La Crosse about thirty years ago. Mr. J. H. Williams, her father was a Rose street grocer at that time. The aged parents make their home with Mrs. Dreager.

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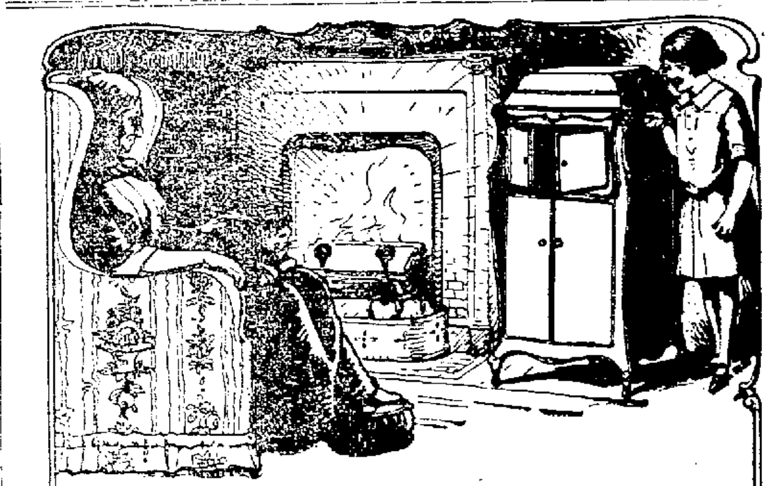
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Bill Introduced by Green Bay Man is Echo of Congressional Fight in Ninth District

MADISON, Wis.—Judges of courts of record will automatically vacate their offices if they become candidates for elective political jobs. This declaration was made by Assemblyman James T. Oliver of Green Bay on Tuesday when he introduced a bill, following a suggestion in the Governor's message, barring judges from becoming political candidates.

This bill is an aftermath of the congressional campaign stated in the 9th congressional district last fall. Judge H. Graass was a candidate for congressional honors and the argument was made at the time that Congress was the judge of the qualifications of its own members and although the state constitution prohibited a judge from running there was nothing in the rules of congress to bar him from getting a seat if he were elected.

Assemblyman Oliver's bill provides that the mere announcement of a judge of record as a candidate for political office other than a judicial office, vacates the office of judge at once.

"This bill is aimed to keep judges out of politics," said Assemblyman Oliver. "The measure has been drawn in conformity with the suggestion contained in the Governor's message."

A second proposal of the Governor will be offered this week by Assemblyman Ethan B. Minier, New Richmond. Minier is preparing a bill which provides that a verdict of ten in a jury of twelve shall be conclusive in civil cases. This measure follows the adoption of a constitutional amendment at the November election. Gov. Blaine urged that it be incorporated into the laws of the state and Mr. Minier believes immediate action can be obtained on this proposal.

That public utilities should be compelled to retire their bond issues within a stated period was provided in a resolution offered Tuesday by Assemblyman Thomas M. Duncan, Milwaukee socialist. Cities and counties are compelled by law to redeem bonds in 20 years and he believes this sam fiduciary rule should apply to public utilities.

The railroad commission is called upon by the resolution to furnish certain information regarding all outstanding debts of public utilities.

RAIL STRIKER LYNCHED IN ARKANSAS TOWN

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Monday night and that he defied them, avowing that "a day of reckoning" would come.

A well-known capitalist and hotel owner at Harrison, the correspondent states, was publicly whipped on the street this morning and then taken before the citizens' committee. He is said to have signed the bond of A. P. Stephens, accused of bridge burning. The circuit court adjourned today until January 29.

Governor McRae received a request for aid from Harrison today and Col. McAllister of the adjutant general's staff, Arkansas national guard, will leave here today for Harrison to investigate. Troops will be called out if Col. McAllister deems it necessary, it was said at the state house.

Strikers Horsewhipped

EUREKA SPRINGS, Ark.—Other Missouri and North Arkansas strikers were horsewhipped by a mob in Harrison, Ark., Tuesday, after Cregor is alleged to have fired into a group of men, wounding one, who went to his home to place him under arrest, according to apparently reliable reports received here.

Lee Withholds Comment

CHICAGO, Ill.—By the Associated Press.—W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, announced Tuesday that he would telegraph to Harrison, Ark., for details of the disorders in which one railway striker was hanged from a bridge of the Missouri and North Arkansas railroad before making any statement or taking any action.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES FOR 1923 ARE ANNOUNCED

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Grahn, H. M. Mark, Robert Nauman.

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HOUSE BUILT OF WRECKAGE ON FRENCH ISLAND BURNS



William H. Smythe's house on French island, made of bits of wreckage and refuse picked up here and there and which attracted considerable attention at the time it was built last summer, is no more. The queer looking domicile was burned to the ground in an early morning fire.

All that Mr. Smythe saved was his cap and trousers. He said, in relating his experience, that the neighbors saw him standing in the snow, and came to his aid with clothes and shoes. One of them gave Mr. Smythe the use of a room in his former residence, and he is lodging there temporarily.

When Mr. Smythe built his house he stuffed cracks in the roof with paper. This paper caught fire, presumably from an overheated stovepipe and the structure was destroyed. The loss is estimated at $500.

This was the first shack built according to plans laid down in Henry Ford's magazine.

Mr. Smythe is now looking for an indoor job to help him through the winter.

RUHR MAGNATES SUMMONED TO PARLEY

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there will be the question of manual labor to deal with and the coal leaders point to the probability that if the miners balk at working under a French administration and French and Belgian soldiers have to stand over the mines with fixed bayonets, the new administrators still may not be able to get the desired results.

After Monday's conference, August Thyssen, the German metal industry magnate, indicated that the suspicion was hovering in his mind that the French were contemplating arrests and confiscations, but he had little to add to the statement he made at the meeting on behalf of the miners that the German laws prevailed in the Ruhr.

U. S. Disclaims Reparations Plan

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By The Associated Press.—Administration officials continued to insist Tuesday that the American government considered itself entirely disassociated from the reparations plan which has been placed before the reparations committee by Roland W. Boyden, the American observer, who is representing the United States unofficially on the commission.

Officials at the White House even went so far as to say that they did not believe Mr. Boyden ever presented a plan to the commission as reported in news dispatches from Paris.

In the face of dispatches giving details of how the plan was laid before Secretary Hughes weeks ago, it was declared at the state department that the department knew nothing of the plan and desired not to be in any way associated with it.

At the White House it was conceded, however, that Mr. Boyden might have presented to the commission on his own account "some sort of plan or suggestion." Officials would not discuss it further.

Made to Fit U. S. Policy

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—An authoritative statement from American quarters here Tuesday makes it clear that "the American reparation plan" before the reparations commission was drawn up in an effort to "fit" with the American government's views on the reparations problem.

The statement says the plan as drawn here was mailed to Secretary of State Hughes for his consideration about November 20, last, and that the secretary was believed to have had the plan before the end of November.

Since Secretary Hughes made no changes or suggestions in regard to the plan it has been assured by the representatives of the state department here that it met with his approval.

Considerable surprise was expressed that knowledge of the plan was disclaimed in Washington, and it was felt there must be some misunderstanding.

It is known that Premier Poincare himself and important officials of the reparations commission have regarded the plan which Mr. Boyden submitted last November as "essentially the American plan."

Boyden Submitted Plan

The development of the plan, it is explained, resulted from the reparations commission's visit to Berlin last October and November. Upon the return of the commission to Paris on November 11 a special meeting was called for the exchange of the impressions which the delegates had received in Berlin. This meeting was held November 13. Mr. Boyden was called upon and he expressed opinions and ideas differing from those of either the French or British.

Mr. Boyden and M. Barthou then had a private discussion at the end of which the French delegate, it is stated, requested the American observer to draw up in writing the ideas he had expressed.

Mr. Boyden did this immediately, submitting on November 20 a plan which, reduced to writing, extended to 1,500 or 2,000 words. He dealt in this with the general basis for a reparations settlement, leaving outside all questions of the inter-allied debts.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

Closing prices:

Allied Chemical and Dye	71 3/4
Allis Chalmers	45 1/2
American Beet Sugar	37 7/8
American Can	81
American Car and Foundry	178 1/2
American Hide and Leather pfd.	67 1/2
American International Corp.	25 1/8
American T. and T.	122 1/2
American Tobacco	151
American Woolen	94
Anaconda Copper	49 3/4
Atchison	100
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	23
Baldwin Locomotive	130 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	40 7/8
Bethlehem Steel "B"	61 1/4
Canadian Pacific	141 5/8
Central Leather	34
Chandler Motors	67 5/8
Chesapeake and Ohio	70 1/8
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	21 3/4
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	31 1/2
Chino Copper	26
Colorado Fuel and Iron	25 3/4
Corn Products	123 1/2
Crucible Steel	69 1/2
Erie	10 3/4
Famous Players-Lasky	84 5/8
General Asphalt	11 7/8
General Electric	18 1/2
General Motors	14
Goodrich Co.	26 3/4
Great Northern pfd.	73 1/8
Illinois Central	11 1/2
Inspiration Copper	33 7/8
International Harvester	88 3/4
Int. Mer. Marine pfd. ex-div.	10
International Paper	52
Invincible Oil	14 3/8
Kelly-Springfield Tire	45 3/4
Southern Railway	27 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	41 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	115 3/4
Tennessee Copper	11 1/2
Texas Co.	47 1/2
Texas and Pacific	19 3/4
Tobacco Products	80 3/8
Transcontinental Oil	13 1/4
Union Pacific	136 7/8
United Retail Stores	67 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	64 3/4
United States Rubber	58 3/8
United States Steel	105 3/8
Utah Copper	67 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	59
Willys Overland	7 1/8
Chicago and North Western	78 3/4
Maxwell Motors, Bid	15 3/4
Consolidated Gas	121 1/4
Kennecott Copper	35 3/4
Louisville and Nashville, bid	132 1/2
Mexican Petroleum, bid	280
Miami Copper	26 7/8
Middle States Oil	11 7/8
Midvale Steel	27 1/4
Missouri Pacific	16
New York Central	93 5/8
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	17 3/4
Norfolk and Western	115 1/2
Northern Pacific	73 3/4
Oklahoma Prod. and Ref.	1 7/8
Pacific Oil	45
Pan-American Petroleum	87
Pennsylvania	46 1/2
People's Gas	90 1/2
Pure Oil	27 5/8
Ray Consolidated Copper	14
Reading, ex. div.	76 7/8
Rep. Iron and Steel	48
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	52
Sears Roebuck	84 1/2
Sinclair Con. Oil	33 7/8
Southern Pacific	88

Some Kongo natives believe that appearance of a baby's first tooth in the upper jaw is a sign of bad luck and that the baby should be killed.

IT'S A BOY, TOO

Charley Rawlinson is a grandad. Announcement was made this morning of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dwyer at St. Anne's hospital last night.

FEDERAL AGENTS BUSY IN WINONA RAIDING SALOONS

WINONA.—Federal agents operating from the Winona branch office of the prohibition enforcement bureau today reported the seizure of a quantity of moonshine liquor, mash, a still, and "spiked" beer in raids over the week end.

Officers raided the soft drink saloon of Rollinger Bros. at Sugar Loaf Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock and confiscated 22 gallons of moonshine liquor in a shed adjacent to the saloon they reported. Edward and Tony Rollinger proprietors, were ordered to report to the United States commissioner for arraignment and further disposition of the case, it was added.

A 10-gallon capacity still, 150 gallons of mash, and six gallons of liquor were discovered, officers said, when they raided the farm of Edward Johns in the town of Fremont, late Saturday. Johns was fined $100 when he pleaded guilty today in municipal court to a charge of committing a nuisance by possession of liquor.

Agents also raided the farm of Henry Johns, but found no evidence, it was announced.

Officers said that they confiscated ten bottles of "spiked" beer Saturday at 11 p. m. when they raided the soft drink establishment at 225 East Third street operated by Harvey Tarras. The bottles originally contained near beer the agents declared, but the caps had been removed and a percentage of alcohol had been added.

The officers also raided the soft drink saloon operated by Felix Bell at 127 Main street Sunday at 6 p. m. but no liquor was found, it was announced.

Agents said they received information that certain bootleggers had been charging $8 a gallon for moonshine liquor.

KAW INDIANS CELEBRATE 2,000 BARREL OIL WELL

KAW CITY, Okla. The Kaw Indians here will observe the early hours Sunday morning with the greatest festival in the history of the tribe.

For the Kaws hitherto the poor and envious cousins of the Osages, the richest Indians in the world, have reached the turning of the way. Under the leadership of the first woman chieftain in the tribe's history, Lucy Tyiap Eads, they are entering on a new era which is expected to place them on equal footing with their wealthy neighbors before the end of the year.

An oil well with a natural flow of more than 2,000 barrels daily came in on the Kaw reservation on Saturday.

SAVANT UPHOLDS CLAIMS OF BLIND GIRL MARVEL

JANESVILLE, Wis.—Denying the claim made by Prof. Joseph Jastrow, University of Wisconsin psychologist, that Wiletta Huggins, of the state school for the blind, is a "fraud" in her ability to hear with her fingers and tell colors through sense of smell, Prof. Robert H. Gault, Northwestern university psychologist, declared them to be genuine. Prof. Gault made the statement after several months of tests at the state school. He recently made an address before an eminent group of physicians at Boston on the subject of the girl's powers.

OIL FIRMS PROBED IN WISCONSIN GO TO WALL

MADISON, Wis.—Word was received by the railroad commission Tuesday that the Elbukan and the M. T. C. Oil companies, the stock of which was sold to Wisconsin citizens by the Seyler investment company, had been placed in the hands of receivers. The commission recently completed an investigation of the Seyler company.

COLORED HANKY CRAZE TAKES PARIS BY STORM

PARIS—The handkerchief fad, started in Deauville last August, has taken Paris by storm. It was first used only as a bracelet, knotted loosely around the wrist. Varicolored, flaring silken moucheirs now loop the throats. Other dainty Parisiennes twist big handkerchiefs around their coiffure, like turban hats, or place them across their forehead, like a Grecian bandeaux. The latest extreme innovation is a scarlet silken ribbon tissue wrapped around the left ankle. American women arriving here en route to the Riviera are quickly taking up the fad.

TWIN 140 POUND CALVES BORN ON FARM AT BARRON

BIRCHWOOD, Wis.—Twin calves, a heifer and a bull, weighing 140 lbs. each at the age of four weeks, are contenders in the contest to determine the heaviest calves born in northern Wisconsin. The calves were born on the Charles Hanson farm of the town of Clinton, Barron county. The calves are the first twins born on the Hanson farm in forty years.

SECRETARY HUGHES TO GO TO PAN-AMERICAN PARLEY

WASHINGTON, D. C. Secretary Hughes expects to visit South America at the time of the Pan-American conference in March at Santiago, but will not serve as one of the delegates representing the United States, it was learned on Saturday.

CONTINUE LENZ HEARING

CHILTON, Wis.—Served with a warrant charging first degree murder, Miss Anna Lenz, who confessed sending the poison candy that caused the death of Mrs. Frank Schneider, wife of a Calumet county farmer, last November, Tuesday obtained another continuance of her hearing to the latter part of the week. Miss Lenz is ill in the county jail and unable to appear in court.

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RADIO OPERATOR IS HEARING FROM A LONG DISTANCE

"Anybody seeing man of small stature, brown eyes, light hair which he combs straight back, and a scar above his right eye please inform police at Davenport, Iowa, of his whereabouts."

This was the radio message received by "Vic Miller" from Davenport, Iowa, January 15, at 8:30 p. m., on a "common crystal set." He has also received music from Kansas City and St. Louis.

"Anybody that does not believe I receive music from Kansas City or any other place mentioned, please call at 2221 Market street at 6:30 p. m. Hearing is believing in this case.

(Signed) "VIC."

RUMORS OF K. K. K. STIR UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—The Minnesota Daily, official student publication at the University of Minnesota printed a story about rumors of a chapter of the Ku Klux Klan existing at the Gopher school.

"Has Minnesota a chapter of the Ku Klux Klan? asks the Daily. "Rumors have been circulating for some time that a white robed band meets on the knoll at midnight to conduct its eerie rites. So far no definite information has been reached. All Big Ten universities are thought to have strong, well organized chapters but the matter is shrouded in mystery. Consensus of opinion on the campus seems to be against anything of the sort."

The story created a sensation on the campus and university officials said they would take immediate steps to put down such an organization if it made its appearance.

FRANK BACON'S WILL LEAVES ALL ESTATE TO HIS WIDOW

SAN JOSE, Cal.—Petition for the probate of the will of Frank Bacon was filed in the Probate court Monday by Mrs. Jennie Bacon, widow of the famous actor who died in Chicago last November. The will is dated Feb. 17, 1919, and makes the widow the sole beneficiary. A daughter, Bessie Bacon Allen of Long Island, N. Y., and a son, Lloyd Bacon of Los Angeles also survive. The petition declares the estate is composed of real estate in Monterey county, Cal., valued at about $250 and of securities and personal property of nominal value.

AMERICAN AID TO QUIT RUSSIA SOON, IS REPORT

LONDON—It has practically been decided to withdraw the American relief administration from Russia by the next harvest unless some unforeseen development occurs in the famine situation, it was stated on Saturday by Col. William N. Haskell, director of American relief in Russia. Col. Haskell is on his way to Athens to assume the directorship of the special emergency relief for the Anatolian refugees instituted by the American Red Cross. He will go to Launsanne early next week to confer with Rear Admiral Bristol and others conversant with the near eastern situation.

DIES AT 91, LEAVING NINETY-ONE DESCENDANTS

PANA, Ill. — Mrs. Nicy Martin, 91 years old, died at her home at Moweaqua, near here leaving ninety-one direct descendants as follows: Six of fifteen children, thirty-six grandchildren, thirty-seven great-grandchildren, and twelve great-great grandchildren.

HIGH SCHOOL FRATS SCANNED

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—High school fraternities are being investigated here by the Parent-Teacher's associations of the city. A committee of three has been appointed to investigate the fraternities and submit recommendations as to what standing the "frats" should have.

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ADVOCATES INQUIRY INTO NEWS REPORTS OF RUM RUNNING

NEWARK, N. J.—By The Associated Press.—United States Attorney Winne announced Monday that he was faborably considering a request of Acting Prohibition Director Moss of New Jersey for a grand jury investigation of the Associated Press reports of heavy rum running along the Jersey coast last week.

"If the facts warrant," said Mr. Winne's statement, "the men responsible for the 35,000-case story will be subpoenaeo to appear before the grand jury. Newspapermen have been subpoenaed before and will continue to be."

Up to noon Monday the Associated Press had received no inquiry from any federal official as to the sources from which it obtained and transmitted to Prohibition Chief J. D. Appleby first news of the arrival of a fleet of twenty-two rum runners off Sandy Hook, and the lightering of their cargoes ashore by a huge fleet of small craft.

PROMINENT MILWAUKEEAN DEAD

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Franklin T. Smith, 58, treasurer of the Marvel Clutch company, here, died Monday from pneumonia Mr. Smith was the son of August Ledyard Smith, who came to Wisconsin in 1855 and became an instructor at the University of Wisconsin.

Mr. Smith was born in Appleton. He attended Lawrence college later graduating in 1888 at Wesleyan university, Middletown, Conn. He was active in Red Cross and Liberty loan work during the war. He was prominent in Milwaukee club life.

HUGE MOTOR DRIVEN SHIP TO BE BUILT IN SCOTLAND

GLASGOW—On order has been placed by a New Zealand steamship company for what will be the largest motor driven steamer afloat. It will displace 22,000 tons, will be 600 feet long with a beam of 72 feet, and will have oil engines totaling 12,000 horsepower.

REPEAL HOMESTEAD TAX EXEMPTION ACT URGES LEGISLATOR

Price County Man Would Substitute Law to Exempt Farm Improvements

MADISON, Wis.—Repeal of the homestead tax exemption statute, enacted by the 1921 session of the legislature, is proposed in a bill drawn by Assemblyman A. B. Blomberg of Price county. He proposes to substitute in its stead a law exempting improvements up to $15,000.

Under the present statute homesteaders on the cut-over land of Northern Wisconsin are exempt from paying taxes on 20 acres of their uncleared land for a period of three years. This statute, Assemblyman Blomberg believes, works a hardship on the rest of the northern communities, and should be repealed.

He has in addition a bill which would establish a fishing license of $1. This measure, if enacted into law, would be the source of an annual revenue amounting to approximately $300,000. This additional money, the assemblyman proposes to use for conservation purposes.

To curtail promiscuous deer hunting and bird shooting in the Northern section of the state, Assemblyman Blomberg has a bill which would prohibit hunters from shooting while within 16 rods of a highway. At present he said that deer hunters were in the habit of standing on a highway and shooting deer as they were driven across it by other parties. Life in the northern counties is endangered by this shooting up the roads he said, and it is his intention to remove the source of the danger by regulation.

MARSHAL'S AIM FATAL

WAXAHACHIE, Tex.—Brad Howard, 44, of Leonard, Fannin county, who was shot by City Marshal Jim Britton at Italy, Texas, died.

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WOULD ELIMINATE EXCLUSIVE PARTIES AT THE UNIVERSITY

Waukesha Assemblyman Declares University is Becoming Less Democratic

MADISON, Wis.—Declaring that many of the social functions at the university are making that institution undemocratic and are interfering with the private life of the students outside of the classrooms, W. A. Freehoff, assemblyman from Waukesha, Tuesday introduced a joint resolution to formulate rules and regulations eliminating the tendency towards "exclusiveness" in the student social life.

"The legislature is alarmed at the growing tendency toward making the university less democratic than a great university should be," the resolution asserted and expressed the conviction that "expensive, formal social functions, which many students find it financially impossible to attend, have no place in the student life of the university."

The resolution asks that members of the faculty and students organize a committee to formulate and enforce rules and regulations which will "eliminate all tendency toward exclusiveness in the social functions conducted by the students of the university."

Representative Freehoff opposed the request of the University prom chairman for the use of the capitol building for the Junior prom to be held February 2 and when the request was read to the assembly he asked that the request be placed on the table. His motion, however, was defeated.

ATTORNEY CHARGES "PLOT" ON PART OF CANINE HEIRS

CHICAGO.—Trixie and Friskie, two Mexican hairless dogs, were charged in court on Saturday with chewing the signature from a will which would have given them a $16,000 inheritance.

Mrs. Tillie Lehnhan, only sister of Miss Margaret Howard, produced a will which was alleged to have been made after that the one naming the dogs heirs. It failed to provide for Trixie and Friskie.

"It's a plot on the part of the dogs," one of the attorneys declared.

ANNABELLE JUST COULDN'T LET HER DOLLIE BURN UP

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Annabelle Irving is the hero of the Wahl street tenement fire.

After police and firemen had taken out five families, totaling twenty-two persons, during the blaze which gutted the three story building, Annabelle went back and rescued a doll buggy.

She saved a 79 cent doll which had been given her for Christmas by a local charity organization.

UNDER THE CAPITOL DOME

Odds and Ends of State Affairs by William J. Anderson

MADISON, Wis.—As if the arrival of taxpaying time were not enough to disturb our peace of mind the governor in his message to the legislature which convened on the 9th devotes a large portion of his message to the subject of taxes and the tax commission issues a preliminary report containing suggestions for increasing the state's tax receipts.

Taxation is easily the dominant economic question in the state and just at this time even the ever-present question of enforcing the prohibition law has to take second place.

The most drastic recommendation for improving the tax situation is made by the tax commission. The commission would eliminate the "rule of uniformity" clause of the constitution and leave it to the legislature to say whether tax rates may vary according to the character of the property.

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Another stiff proposition comes from the commission. It would abolish all exemptions of dividends. At present dividends whether paid in cash or stock are taxable income, but if the corporation which earns them is first taxed on its earnings the dividends in the hands of those who receive them are exempt. If the commission's recommendation becomes a law, the dividends paid by a corporation to its stockholders will be subject to double taxation.

The commission recommends also that bank dividends be taxed, and the governor in his message approves of both these recommendations.

The governor on his part offers some pretty severe recommendations. In the first place he wishes all the mill taxes on property to be wiped out. The mill taxes consist of a fraction of a mill for the university, another fraction for the normal schools, another fraction for the common schools and still another for highways. If this recommendation carries the university and normal schools will have to go before the legislature at each session and contend for their entire appropriation.

The governor again recommends the repeal of the secrecy clause of the income tax law. This recommendation will go through unless the farmers of the state discover that such repeal would open up every detail of their business affairs to their neighbors' inspection.

All in all if even half the tax recommendations made by the commission and the governor go through, there will be some important changes in the tax laws.

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The trouble with the tax problem as it presents itself to the people of Wisconsin is that it is presented under duress. The demand for income to meet the steadily increasing expenditures has to be considered always and the tax commission has no opportunity to consider the problem in a large way as a distinctly economic problem. Taxes are collected, it is true, to meet the public needs, but we should have a more satisfactory tax situation if the needs were not always years ahead of the ability to meet them.

The governor intimates in his message that if his recommendations are followed there will be a measure of relief from the tax burden. This is a rather forlorn hope, and it is noticeable that the tax commission does not share it. So long as the people of the state demand improvements they must pay for them and up to this time there seems to be no prospect of any cessation of the demand.

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There are two angles from which the tax problems of the state may be considered—the economic and the political. Offhand one might say that the political angle should be disregarded, but that would be snap judgment. Wisconsin's first tax commission in its report published in 1901 frankly confessed that its chief reason for taking up first the moot question of railroad taxation to the exclusion of other pressing phases of the problem was political. That is, if the commissioner were to secure the confidence of the public in its work, it must first dispose of the question which for a quarter of a century had been a political football, even though it neglected for the time being questions of deeper interest. The political angle then should not be overlooked; but naturally, one seeking to find the tax needs of the state would look first to the conclusions of a body like the tax commission, whose suggestions and recommendations are the outgrowth of economic research and close observation of the operation of laws and principles.

BEANPOT STUDENT PERIODICAL, TOO HOT FOR BOSTON FACULTY

BOSTON, Mass.—The ban of the censor has fallen on the Beanpot, a comic monthly published by the students of Boston university. The faculty committee on student publications summoned the staff and presented them with a list of requirements the alternative of which will be suspension of the paper.

MYSTERY DRINK KILLS THREE

NEW YORK.—After drinking of some mysterious concoction, three men dropped dead in a saloon in Jersey City. The proprietor, Joseph Boras, is among the dead. The other two were John Buzza and Joseph Janofski.

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POLICE CALLED TO PROVIDE CANARY BIRD WITH A DRINK

LONG BEACH, Cal.—The police department worked more than an hour to get a drink for a canary. Somebody, passing a show window in a store temporarily closed, saw the bird repeatedly thrust its bill into the empty water cup attached to its cage. A crowd gathered. Some one telephoned the police.

Detectives responding, ascertained the store was under the protection of a private agency. Operatives of that concern were notified. Finally, a man with a key to the store responded. He filled the canary's water cup.

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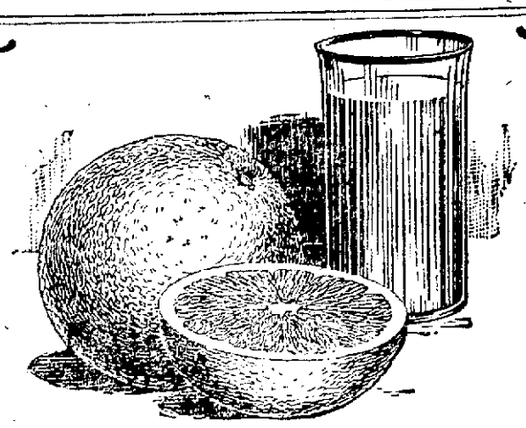


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DEAD GIRL'S MOTHER FAINTS ON STAND IN TRIAL OF KNEESKERN

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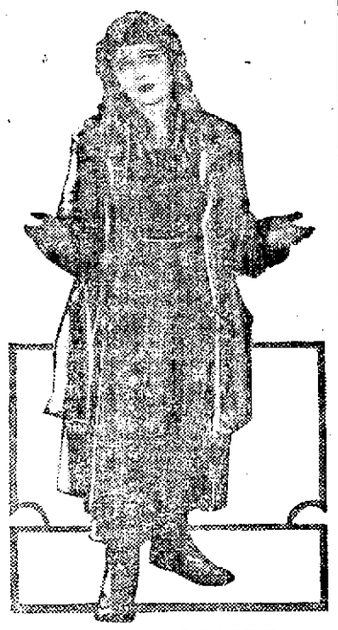
CHARLES CITY, Iowa.—Keyed to a high pitch by the sensations which crowded themselves into the testimony Monday in the trial of B. F. Knueskern, cattle buyer from Castalia, accused of the murder of Irene and Charles Van Brocklin, court crowds gathered early Tuesday morning to obtain seats in the small court-room. New sensations were expected.

One of the features that loomed was the third appearance on the stand of Mrs. Rachel Ries, mother of the slain girl, who has come to the defense of the defendant, by pointing an accusing finger at Elmer Van Brocklin, brother of Charles. Her second attempt to recount the times when she alleges Elmer Van Brocklin threatened her daughter's life or did actual violence to her, came to an abrupt ending late Monday when she fainted on the stand. This incident followed a quizzing by Frank O'Connor on whether she had asked Elmer Van Brocklin to run away with her. She had admitted that she corresponded with him even after his alleged threats against her daughter and against her. She was revived quickly.

When court adjourned Monday night, George Flaherty of Mason City, gun expert, was on the stand. He was recalled as the first witness Tuesday morning. Disputing the contentions of two state gun experts, Flaherty declared that the holes in a coffee pot used by Knueskern for target practice on the day of the murders, and entered by the state as evidence might have been made by size 7½ shot. The pellets taken from the bodies of the two slain persons were size 6. One instance when Irene Van Brocklin was dragged out of a buggy and her clothes partly torn off by Elmer, was referred to by Mrs. Ries in her testimony and two other occasions when she was knocked unconscious, once with a stove poker, were described.

Mrs. Ries said she was 43 years old. Her daughter was 19 years old at the time of her slaying, on December 11, 1921, evidence has shown.

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MARY PICKFORD
in
"TESS OF THE STORM COUNTRY"
At the Riviera This Week

DENVER BANDIT IS IDENTIFIED MONDAY AS WYOMING MAN

Body Found in Garage Declared that of J. S. Sloan, Famous Western Bandit

CHICAGO, Ill.—Investigation of the $200,000 mint robbery in Denver last December still centers in Chicago.

The body of the slain bandit leader was identified Monday in Denver as J. S. Sloan of Casper, Wyo., but the fact that most of the clothing he was wearing had been purchased in Chicago caused the Denver authorities to ask co-operation of the police here.

According to Chief of Police Rugg Williams of Denver, Sloan is known in the west as the leader of a desperate gang of gunmen and robbers, but he says that he probably also has a record here. Finger prints and Bertillion measurements are on the way here and efforts will be made to identify him as an underworld character.

Suspect Still Held

Dan Culhane, arrested Sunday by Chicago police as a suspect in the Denver robbery, was still being held. Chief of Detectives Hughes admitted that his finger prints did not correspond with those of Albert T. Hollywood, wanted by the police of Kansas City and Denver for robbery. Identification of Sloan, it was added, would indicate that the Hollywood gang was not "in" on the Denver job.

Sloan, whose frozen body was found in a Denver garage Sunday night, was the bandit who stood on the running board of the automobile and "covered" the retreat of his companions. He was seen to crumple as the car started away and witnesses told how he had been pulled into the machine.

Bullet Through Heart

A postmortem examination showed that he had been killed instantly by a bullet through the heart, presumably fired from the revolver of Pete Keidinger, one of the mint guards. The bullet had struck his hand, tore through the flesh of the forearm and entered the body over the heart.

Identification of Sloan, according to Chief Williams, is a forerunner of the early capture of the rest of the robbers. The Omaha police last week had a woman, said to be Sloan's wife, and three other persons under surveillance, but when a squad of detectives raided their hotel they were gone. Their capture is expected momentarily.

JAILS DRY VIOLATOR

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis.—Three months in jail without the alternative of a fine was the sentence imposed by County Judge Connor here Monday on Arthur Danielson, found guilty of selling liquor and transporting it.

SOLONS SLEEP IN JAIL AT MADISON ROOMS ARE SCARCE

MADISON, Wis.—With the legislature in session but a week, two of its members are already in jail. Sounds bad—yes—but it is because of the scarcity of rooms at the Capital city. Assemblymen Ethan B. Minier, New Richmond, and Newcomb Spoor of Berlin are now making their headquarters at the Dane county jail with Sheriff Krug.

"A cot in the jail is better than a bed in the snow," declare the "inmates."

PROPOSES ADVANCE NAVY BASE

WASHINGTON.—The report of Rear Admiral Rodman places development of an adequate advance fleet base on Oahu, Hawaiian Islands, first among shore projects for the navy.

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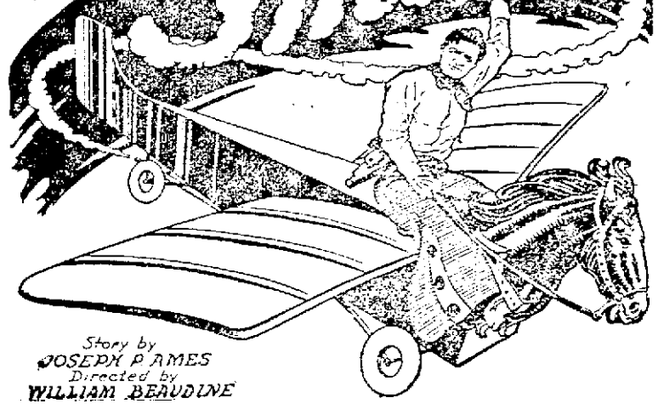
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KANNEBERG TO GET JACKSON'S PLACE ON RAILWAY BODY

MADISON, Wis.—Governor Blaine is expected Wednesday morning to nominate Adolph Kanneberg for the position of railroad commissioner to succeed Carl D. Jackson, resigned. The nomination will be brought before the senate at that time for confirmation, according to reliable information.

MRS. FISKE

Mrs. Fiske will impersonate "Paddy," a thoroughly remarkable woman, in her new play, "The Dice of the Gods," which comes to the La Crosse theater Monday evening, January 22. In this new play the author first describes Paddy's eyes—"their baffling quality of restless mockery." Paddy is a woman of thirty-eight, her radiant youth long since forfeited to experience, and there is that about her every movement that cries of nerves strained to the last pitch of vibration, "pointing an exquisite harmony sustained too long." She talks incessantly with a quick but very charming [illegible]. She is vastly amusing with a random wit. Her casual acquaintances are diverted by her scintillation, but those who care for Paddy, her daughter Charlotte and the engaging "Hendy," know the truth that underlies her pretense of gaiety. For Paddy is the victim of a treacherous weakness and her show of brilliant [illegible] is the refuge under which she keeps cover.

In the great conflict between Paddy's cynicism and her daughter's invincible belief in right, lies the basic thread of the play. The action and dialogue are pitched in a high tense key, admirably adapted to the fierce predatory life of the leading character, Patricia Bond. Through the whole story runs the thread of Charlotte's romance, a beautiful tender love that she struggles to keep unsullied by the [illegible] of circumstances. The role [illegible] greater gamut than any in which Mrs. Fiske has heretofore appeared.

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AT THE RIVIERA

"I cannot see how Mary Pickford's own and strictly new production of that famous screen classic, "Tess of the Storm Country," can help being the photoplay sensation of the year. Every one of the millions who saw her in the original production made eight years ago is certain to want to see it again as produced under the marvellous advantages and improvements in present-day motion picture making, and an entirely new generation of picture-goers has grown up since the first "Tess of the Storm Country" was made."

Thus spoke Edwin S. Porter, who eight years ago directed Miss Pickford in the first "Tess of the Storm Country."

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Suppose you had been reared in luxury, trained to do nothing and to wear expensive clothing—and then suddenly your fortune melted away like mist before the sun? Suppose you were, in addition, a young and beautiful woman—what would you do? This is the situation that confronts Agnes Ayres in her role of Mary Fenton in "A Daughter of Luxury," which will be the feature at the Strand Theater today.

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GONE SINCE AUG. 30, TELLS A WEIRD TALE ON HIS RETURN

FORT WORTH Tex.—Albert Fodor printer and author, who disappeared Aug. 30 returned Friday afternoon to his home in Fort Worth. Fodor claims that he was abducted from Dallas in an automobile. He states that he was held captive in a cave in the Osage mountains and that he was carried blindfolded in a car to a point near Hominy, Okla, a week ago and released.

HAWAII HAS QUAKES

HONOLULU.—A 55-mile gale accompanied by two earthquake shocks swept and rocked Hawaii, causing one death and heavy property damage.

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Two Others Injured in Grand Beach Meet

HOW THEY FINISHED

	1st	2nd	Pts.
Anders Haugen, Minneapolis, Minn.	125	130	283.50
Burnt C. Hanson, Colcraine, Minn.	108	105	255
Arvid Bakke, Milwaukee, Wis.	109	110	243
Norman Berger, Montreal, Canada	106	96	237
Sven Welhaven, Milwaukee, Wis.	[illegible]	89	222.50
Everett Strom, Madison, Wis.	85	92	212
J. M. Piebta, West Allis, Wis.	97	[illegible]	211
Reidar Lindh, Chicago	92	86	210
Barney Reilly, Coleraine, Minn.	112	110	207

GRAND BEACH, Mich.—Anders Haugen, competing under the colors of the Minnesota Municipal Ski club, on Sunday won top honors in the first annual tournament of the Grand Beach Ski club at the new slide here. Haugen scored 283.50 points and had a record jump of 130 feet.

Burnt C. Hanson of Coleraine, Minn., was second with 255 points, his longest jump being 108 feet, while Arvid Bakke, Milwaukee, was third with 243 points and a jump of 110 feet.

Besides winning the trophy in the regular competition, Haugen also won the prize for the longest standing jump, leaping 126 feet.

Nine riders finished the full program out of a field of twenty three starters. Three riders were injured and the rest withdrew from the competition after a practice leap convinced them that jumping conditions were very dangerous. The rains of Saturday and Sunday morning left the snow pack on the slide sticky and falls were numerous.

Three Leapers Injured

Ragnar Omtvedt, club captain of the Grand Beach team, and international champion [illegible] dislocated his right shoulder [illegible] forced [illegible] the [illegible] 1922 [illegible] fell to the bottom of the hill.

Kenneth [illegible] of Madison, Wis., was the second jumper to be injured [illegible] experienced the same trouble [illegible] twisted ankle [illegible] Heverdahl [illegible] came [illegible] on the top of the slide [illegible] became unmanageable and he [illegible] the fall forced him also from competition.

Hampered by Heavy Wind

Theo [illegible], another star rider [illegible] was injured during practice on Saturday and did not start in the contest.

The [illegible] wind proved an additional handicap to the riders [illegible] to keep their balance. Although the [illegible] on the slide [illegible] at the start of the [illegible] Saturday, the [illegible] the evening and when the jumping started the hill was sticky and [illegible].

About 1,500 fans turned out for the tournament, 1,000 [illegible] making the trip on special train.

Prizes won in the tournament were presented at a banquet given the riders by the Grand Beach club at the Hotel [illegible] Sunday night.

PERFECTIONS HAVE IT DOWN TO THAT; STORM KINGS UP

The Perfections had it on the Star Brands, runner-up, in the Rubber Mills league Monday night, and won all three games. The blow sent the Stars down to third place while the Storm Kings, winning three from the cellar champs, went into second place.

The scores:

PERFECTIONS

E. McFadden	159	174	177
A. Soller	146	[illegible]	173
E. Anderson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
H. Keester	176	178	161
E. Soller	[illegible]	121	152
Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

STAR BRAND

F. Enenson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. Miller	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	161
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	140
Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

DICTATORS

Frederickson	162	140	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

STORM KINGS

Hafner	176	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shuda	161	[illegible]	[illegible]
Olson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Aselin	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

ESKIMOS

Wm. Weigel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Hadgraft	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Carroll	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SPORTSMAN SPECIAL

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Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	112
[illegible]	[illegible]	154	142
Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	776	771

POLAR BEARS

H. Kiesel	114	107	[illegible]
Meillem	147	193	106
E. Hilbert	106	123	121
Curie	118	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. Torrance	118	[illegible]	[illegible]
Handicap	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	729	709	743

BEST BOWLERS—AND OTHERS

SINGLE GAME
Weigel, Eskimos 209
THREE GAME
Anderson, Perfections 597
TEAM SINGLE
Perfections 922
TEAM TOTAL
Perfections 2707

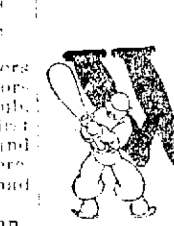
LOW SCORES
SINGLE GAME
Carroll, Eskimos 97
THREE GAME
Hadgraft, Eskimos 339
TEAM SINGLE
Sportsmen Specials 706
TEAM TOTAL
Polar Bears 2181

BULLSEYES of BASEBALL

By BILLY EVANS

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FREAKIEST HOME RUN I EVER SAW



When batters are in a slump they seek every possible means to kill off the so-called jinx that is pursuing them.

Some batters worry terribly when they slump in hitting. Others get mighty peevish. A few take the situation good-naturedly, accepting it as a part of the game, knowing that in the end the breaks are about fifty-fifty.

Eddie Collins is one of those chaps who figure there is a reason for everything. When Collins slumps, he accepts his temporary failure to hit as part of the game.

He goes about his work in his usual business-like manner. As a rule, failure to hit causes most players to slump in all departments of the game, but not Collins.

Several years ago Collins was in a batting slump that befalls a player every so often. He seemed to be hitting the ball pretty well, but couldn't get it safe. Always, it seemed, the drive would go directly into the hands of some waiting fielder.

Instead of getting discouraged, Collins accepted the break with a smile, yet kept on trying to get back into his stride.

With two down in the ninth inning of the game I have in mind, Collins came to the bat with the Sox a run behind. As he walked past me on his way to the plate he remarked:

"Well, I have tried every bat in the bag and haven't been able to hit for a week, so I am going to use this light fungo stick."

He hit the first ball pitched into the right field bleachers at Chicago. The fact that Collins is anything but a home-run hitter made the feat all the more unusual. The Sox won out in extra innings. That season, Collins made only two home runs.

That apparently broke the slump. The next day Collins got three hits, and kept on getting them the rest of the season.

It certainly was a most extraordinary manner in which to kill off the jinx, as slumps are known in baseball.

Next: The most unusual debut I ever saw.

DR. MARSHALL IS MASTER OF HUNT IN CURLING GAME

The Doc Comes Back After a Defeat at the Hands of Skip Weatherwax

Dr. Marshall came back to master Gene Hunt in a curling match at the rink Monday night after heaving 11 heads to win, 15 to 7. Dr. Marshall got revenge after his defeat by Weatherwax the day before. Incidentally, Doc is improving his curling game, curling on the first rink Monday.

The ice Monday night was in perfect condition and keen shots were made.

At a meeting of the skips, 16 rings were made for contests among local curlers during the last two weeks of the month. It is requested that the skips arrange with their men for the most convenient night to curl.

SCHEDULE FOR TOURNEY BOWLING AT ARCADE ALLEYS

The schedule for Wednesday and Friday bowling in the tournament has been announced. The games will start on Wednesday night. It is announced that bowlers will roll their singles whenever it is convenient.

The schedule:

7 P. M. Teams
Rubber Mills No. 1, Alley 1.
Rubber Mills No. 2, Alley 2.
Montagues, Alley 3.
[illegible], Alley 4.
Moose, Alley 5.
[illegible] Wash, Alley 6.

9 P. M. Doubles
Weigel and Torrance, Alley 1.
Joe Pechling and F. Roth, Alley 4.
[illegible] Hunt and R. Weigel, Alley 5.
Weininger and Reina, Alley 3.
A. Miller and [illegible], Alley 2.
[illegible] Wittenberg and [illegible], Alley 6.

9:15 P. M. Doubles
[illegible] Olstad and [illegible] Mekvold, Alley [illegible].
[illegible] McLeod and W. [illegible], Alley [illegible].
[illegible] and [illegible], Alley 5.
[illegible] and A. Soller, Alley 6.
[illegible] and [illegible], Alley 2.

7 P. M. Teams
Bodega Club, Alley 1.
National Gauge, Alley 2.
Modes [illegible] Co., Alley 3.
La Crosse Club, Alley 4.
Arcene Shoes, Alley 5.
Krause [illegible] Co., Alley 6.

9 P. M. Doubles
[illegible] and Stoddler, Alley 2.
Munson and Howard, Alley 3.
A. Spika and Veneman, Alley [illegible].
Schreeberger and Weigel, Alley 6.
J. A. Miller and W. [illegible], Alley 1.
C. A. Hunt and O. Mueller, Alley 2.

10 P. M. Doubles
J. [illegible] and F. Erich, Alley 1.
C. Erickson and J. [illegible], Alley [illegible].
P. Spika and J. Kotnour, Alley 2.
[illegible] and Ford, Alley 3.
H. Weigel and Larson, Alley [illegible].
E. Hanson and J. Kobitz, Alley 6.

EVELETH, Minn.—Eveleth defeated Cleveland, 59 to 2, in a United States amateur hockey league game.

QUALITY LUNCHES
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SPECIAL THIS WEEK.
Men's blue chambray Work Shirts 69c
AT SPURGEON'S.

EAGLES WIN THREE IN POSTPONED GAMES MONDAY

The Hupmobiles won two out of three from the Eagles in postponed games of the Commercial bowling league Monday night.

The scores:

EAGLES

R. Newburg	210	162	150
R. Lapitz	151	211	152
W. Klawitter	189	172	213
A. Klawitter	223	160	207
J. Pechling	149	140	150
Handicap	29	11	29
Totals	961	858	951

HUPMOBILES

G. Kohn	192	202	172
F. Kabat	147	111	118
J. Beranek	148	166	120
W. Kabat	156	169	172
G. Bollrud	190	171	215
Handicap	47	36	11
Totals	880	855	812

TRIB PICK-UPS SEE VICTORY BUT FEEL HOOKS AT FINISH

In three games for total pins the Tribune regulars beat the Pick-ups by 162 pins Monday afternoon.

But it was not until the third game, in which the regulars recovered from a staggering blow that they were able to best the "Extraordinaries," who had a lead of 49 pins at the end of the second lap.

The Pick-ups claimed they should have won the match, intimating that the leaguers "bowled way over their heads" in the last game. The regulars were ahead at the first game by two pins.

Anyway, the boys think it is "better to have tried and lost than never to have tried at all," and they are all satisfied now.

The scores:

REGULARS

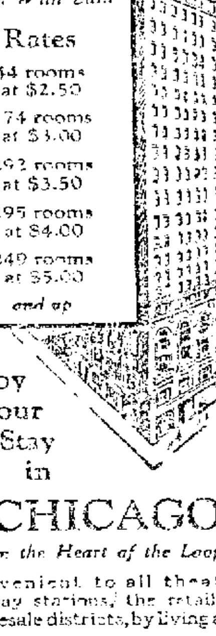
John Fuchs	175	147	170
Adrian Fuchs	147	210	179
Ed Bei[illegible]	145	180	152
Gus Cook	131	157	207
Pete Wall	151	148	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	823	949

PICKUPS

Burgess	134	171	152
Kiefer	140	153	135
Doyle	147	147	134
T. Renner	140	169	121
L. Heron	162	154	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	774	[illegible]

FIVE CHRISTIANS HANGED IN SMYRNA, LONDON HEARS

LONDON.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Constantinople says a message received from Smyrna announces that five Christians condemned by the tribunal of independence have been hanged.


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ELKS' PIN TOURNEY WILL BE LARGEST IN HISTORY OF B. P. O. E.

Two Hundred and Fifty Teams Entered; Shatters Mark of 231 in 1922

APPLETON, Wis.—The eleventh annual Elks' state bowling tournament to be held here from January 27 to March 11, will be the largest in the history of the B. P. O. E. Two hundred and fifty teams from thirty-five cities in the state have been officially registered, according to the announcement made by James H. Bailliet, secretary of the tournament committee. This mark shatters the 231 figure of 1922. The entries are expected to reach approximately 275 teams, as some of the entries are still in the mails. The entry date closed officially Sunday.

SAFFORD WINS FIRST GAME IN CUE TOURNAMENT

Joe Safford won his first game in the city cue tournament when Craft was defeated last Friday night, 75 to 65. Monday night, Huebner won from Gibson, 75 to 45. The game Tuesday night is Sheldon at Safford.

CHICAGO.—Pal Moore of Memphis shaded Bud Taylor, Terre Haute, Ind., in a ten round boxing match.

LA CROSSE NORMAL IN FIRST HOME GAME OF SEASON TODAY AGAINST THE WINONA NORMAL

Coach Keeler put the finishing touches to his basketball squad Monday night in preparation for the opening home game Tuesday night, with Winona Normal. The team went through a hard scrimmage Monday night and seemed to be a little off its usual hard driving stride, but is determined to show up in great style against the up-river gang.

Just who Keeler will start is not known, but Poscover will be at the pivot job with probably Shields and Gunderson at the forwards. It is expected that Hawkins and Brown will be at the guards, with Conners and Klandrud in reserve. Joregesen, Ross, Huseth, will be held in reserve for the forwards should anything go wrong. Coach Keeler has plenty of well groomed men, which is much to the advantage of the La Crosse team, always ready to go in the game at a minute's notice. The squad is showing wonderful spirit this year in co-operating with Coach Keeler in making the team the best in years. Many of the men who are playing regular have the conceited idea that they have their position cinched, which is far from the truth. Many men are showing up to good advantage who are not on the first squad but before the year is up may be working with the first team.

Athletic Director Nohr is anticipating an unusually big crowd as the game promises to be a thriller despite the fact that La Crosse has the odds in its favor. Winona has been working hard and is expecting promising results. Last year La Crosse walloped them to the tune of 52 to 20. Winona is seeking to avenge this defeat. The game is scheduled to start at 8:15 o'clock. Town people who are planning to see the contest are asked to come early to avoid the rush.

Winona will arrive some time Tuesday, accompanied by a large band of rooters. Nick Birnbaum, whose home was formerly in the city of Winona, will lead the Winona rooters in cheering. Much rivalry can be expected between the two rooting sections.

SPORT BRIEFS

ST. PAUL.—St. Paul defeated Pittsburgh 3 to 0 in the Western division of the United States amateur hockey league.

NEW YORK.—Directors of the Briar Cliff lodge country club, where Gene Sarazen, American golf champion, is employed as instructor, tentatively decided not to allow him leave of absence to play in the British open golf championship.

NEW YORK.—Delegates attending the third annual convention of the National boxing association, went on record as favoring the creation of a national boxing registration bureau and adoption of a standardization universal code of ring regulations.

FOUR WISCONSIN BASEBALL PLAYERS ARE INELIGIBLE

Charged With Playing in Games for Which Admission Was Charged

MADISON, Wis.—Captain Ruediger, P. A. Hoffman, pitcher; K. H. Montgomery, catcher, and Drummer, pitcher, on the University of Wisconsin baseball squad, were declared ineligible for conference competition here Monday by T. E. Jones, director of athletics.

These four men are charged with having participated in baseball games at which admission was charged.

Their loss to the Wisconsin team will practically wreck its chances for a strong nine during the 1923 season.

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TELEPHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS when it is more convenient to you and as this is an accommodation service the Tribune and Leader-Press expects payment promptly on receipt of bill.

Persons whose names do not appear in either the City Directory or Telephone Directory must send cash with their advertisements.

FRATERNAL NOTICES

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BISHOP SCHWEBACH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

FOURTH DEGREE

There will be no meeting Tuesday, January 16th on account of meeting of Benevolent society that evening. Date next meeting announced later.

DR. W. E. BANNEN, F. N.

ATTENTION

Hamilton Knights of Pythias

No. 57.

Joint Installation of Officers at John P. Linton Hall, corner 4th and Jay, tonight at 8 o'clock.

All members are advised to attend. Social time after installation.

COMMITTEE.

SMITH COUNCIL No. 10

REGULAR MEETING

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

WEDNESDAY, 7:30 P. M.

Eagle Members Attention!

Refer to Your Program.

CARD PARTY, LUNCH and CABARET DANCING.

Wednesday Eve., Jan. 17

"It's Your Pleasure to Attend."

WANTED—MALE HELP

M. N. WANTING railway station office [illegible] Write [illegible] Dept. [illegible] St. Louis. [illegible]

WANTED—Young man to wash windows and do general work around [illegible] Tribune. 1 16 18

YOUNG MAN wanted to sell farm equipment to dealers and farmers. Address [illegible] Box [illegible] La Crosse. 1 16 22

WANTED—Man to work on farm. Must be [illegible] Phone [illegible]

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

[illegible] Local or traveling [illegible] full time [illegible] call [illegible] 7th St. La Crosse, Wis. 1 11 1mo

WANTED—House to house lady canvassers to sell health foods of real merit. Salary-commission. Write John [illegible] Van Buren, Chicago, Ill. 1 13 [illegible]

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework. Mrs. Kenneth Salzer, [illegible] Place. Phone [illegible] 1 16 17

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. [illegible] Cassels, [illegible] King. 1 15 17

GIRL WANTED for general housework. Mrs. Charles Colman, [illegible] So. 16th. 1 11 17

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To borrow for one year $2,500.00 to $3,500.00 on gilt edge real estate security worth $8,000.00. Call [illegible]-R. 1 15 16

HOUSEHOLD moving, baggage and long distance hauling. Service anytime. William Schultz. Phone 1631. 12 28 1mo

$5.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Bose-Furrer Furniture Company. 1 15 tf

WANTED—Sewing by day. Prices very reasonable. Phone 1229-R or 332 No. 6th. 1 16 17

FOR GENERAL delivery and household moving call 2575-Green. 1 1 1mo

WASHING and ironing done at home. Call 1954-A. 1 16 17

WANTED—Work by the day. Phone 1377-A. 1 16 17

ALL KINDS free dirt. 1025 Redfield. 1 15 17

WOOD SAWING—2140-A. 1 10 16

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—I want one experienced crew manager and four live wire men for new equal fee proposition. House to house work. Must leave city. Real fellows who can produce can make $10 per week and up. Transportation paid. Applicants to be considered must be over 21 and of neat appearance. Experience not necessary as you will be placed with an experienced salesman who will show you how to make them say, "I'll take it." See Mr. McCoy, 8 to 8 p. m. Hotel Stoering, Third and Jay Sts. 1 16 16

SALESMAN—Large food product concern selling direct to the consumer has a vacancy for a solicitor. Permanent position and good compensation for a worker. Selling or canvassing experience absolutely necessary. Give age. Also names previous employers. Territory La Crosse and vicinity. Address A-700, Tribune. 11 16 18

SALESMAN—What of 1923? As a division salesmanager each four men you break in selling roofing cement, paint, auto truck and tractor oil nets you over $100.00 per week. Choice of territory. The American Oil & Paint Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 1 16 16

WANTED—Salesman who can sell a high class product. Good salary and commission. See Mr. Young at the Rivoli Electric Shop. 1 16 17

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

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now is the time to list it. We have buyers for modern and partly modern homes. Price your property right and we will get quick results.

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211 N. 7th St. Phone 841-R.

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FOR SALE—FARMS

80 ACRES, [illegible] new house, [illegible] miles out, [illegible] $150 cash. Tom [illegible] Macon, owner, Shell Lake, Wisconsin. 1 15 21

200 ACRE FARM for sale or trade [illegible] Write or call John An[illegible] Rockland, Wis. Route 1. 1 14 16

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Three leather rockers, one [illegible] table and oven and reed door [illegible] Phone [illegible] 1 16 17

BOOKCASE, china cabinet, dining room [illegible] hall tree, gas stove, linoleum. [illegible] 708 No. 3rd. 1 15 17

NICKLE tempered girl's skates, size 5, like new, and chappie coat, lamb wool lining. 817 [illegible] 1 16 17

FOR SALE—Steam radiators. Good condition. Several sizes. Cheap. Phone 2058-A. 1 16 18

ROUND OAK stove, man's overcoat, lady's plush coat, fur coat and fur cape. 1607 [illegible] 1 16 17

ONE SECOND hydraulic elevator. Inquire Arenz Shoe Store. 12 7 tf

WAGON and sled. Phone 1675-A. 927 Adams. 1 16 18

ROUND dining room table. Call [illegible] 1 14 16

MAHOGANY table like new. 515 Main. 12 30 tf

INCUBATOR and brooder. 710 Kane. 1 15 18

FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOUR NICELY furnished light housekeeping rooms [illegible] and lights. Private bath and entrance. Heat furnished. Suitable for family of four. 507 No. 10th. Phone [illegible] 1 16 18

LIGHT front city heated room. Convenient location. One or two women. [illegible] 512 Cass. 1 15 18

NICELY furnished light housekeeping rooms. Single and double. City heat. 112 So. 3rd. 1 16 17

TWO LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent. 521 Cameron Ave. Phone 688 A. 1 11 16

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Modern except heat. 1222 So. 6th. 1 15 16

TWO FURNISHED rooms for rent. 1108 State. Phone 617 R. 1 13 19

MODERN light housekeeping room for rent. 326 No. 6th. 1 15 17

FURNISHED city heated room. 119 So. 5th. 1529 Blue. 1 15 17

FOR RENT—Four unfurnished rooms. 1222 Rose. 1 15 16

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 627 So. 4th. 1 15 17

FURNISHED rooms. 239 No. 7th. 1 12 17

FURNISHED room. 217 No. 6th. 1 13 17

SLEEPING room. 627 So. 4th St. 1 11 16

For Rent—Houses and Flats

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room flat. 124 So. 9th. Inquire Room 215, State bank. 1 16 18

FOR RENT—3 room house. Light and gas. Partly furnished. Call 333 Rose. 1 10 17

MODERN city heated four-room furnished upper apartment. 703 King St. 1 11 17

FURNISHED 4 room cottage. 1333 So. 3rd. Phone 2452 C. 1 14 16

FOR RENT—Lower flat. 522 So. 4th. Call 1677 C. 1 14 16

HOUSE—800 Rose St. North side. 757-R. 1 11 17

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Fries-Niebuhr Agency. 309-312 Newburg Bldg. 7 22 tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Sunday night suitcase between Burlington depot and George St. on north side. Tied with wrapping cord. Contains ladies' and child's clothes. Finder leave at Tribune office and receive liberal reward. 1 16 18

LOST—Brown leather fur lined glove. Size 8. Between North 14th street and Casino theatre. Call 1694-M. 1 15 17

LOST—Lady's gray gauntlet glove on 5th St. between Main and Winnebago Sts. Reward. Please call 2303-R. 1 15 17

LOST—Narrow black tricolette belt between Main and Pine or between 4th and 7th on Pine. Call 1258-C. 1 16 18

LOST—Green gold wrist watch at or near K. C. club. Call 948-R. 1 15 16

LOST—Leather kodak case at Country Club. Call 643-M. Reward. 1 16 18

LOST—K. P. charm. Reward. Phone 325. P. J. Iverson. 1 13 16

FOUND—Suitcase. Call 1603 Charles St. 1 16 18

SEWING MACHINES

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AUTOMOBILES

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FOR SALE—Columbia light six, four passenger sport, used 3½ months. Cost $1,430.00. Will sacrifice for $750.00 cash. Tel. 822-R. 1 15 21

NEW AND USED trucks for sale on easy payments. C. M. Moore. 1 5 21

COLLECTIONS

CLAIMS collected on percentage or bought outright. Commercial Service Bureau, 211 Newburg Bldg. 6 21 tf

WANT TO RENT

WANTED—Two or three unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping by young couple. Call 1997-C. 1 15 16

ADDING MACHINE

NEW AND SECOND hand adding machines. Dalton Adding Machine Co. 215 Rivoli Bldg. 1 15 17

WANT TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand typewriter. Good condition. Reasonably priced. North American Telegraph Co. 1 16 18

WANTED TO BUY—Used clothing in good condition. Will pay reasonable cash price. Phone 1356-R. Jan 6 1mo

Help Wanted—Male and Female

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Sheriff's Sale in Foreclosure
State of Wisconsin, County of La Crosse—In Circuit Court—
Andrew Mielcarek, Plaintiff,
vs.
Anton Mielcarek and Theresa Mielcarek, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made in the above entitled action on the 7th day of December, 1921, the undersigned sheriff of La Crosse County, State of Wisconsin, will sell at the front door of the dwelling house on the premises hereinafter described, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1923, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day the real estate and mortgaged premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows: The east fifty-four (54) feet of Lot No. Three (3) of Block No. two (2) of Metzger and Funk's addition to the City of La Crosse in La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

Terms of sale cash.

Dated at La Crosse, Wisconsin, this 9th day of December, 1922.

ED C. MILLER, Sheriff.

J. E. HIGBEE & O. J. SWENNES,
Attorneys for the Plaintiff.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Western District of Wisconsin.

In the matter of Gannon J. Fyett, Bankrupt.

The above named bankrupt having filed his petition to be discharged, the court made the following order thereon, to-wit:

On the 16th day of January, A. D. 1923, on reading the foregoing petition it is

Ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1923, before said court at La Crosse, in said District, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and that notice thereof be published in La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness, the Honorable Claude Z. Luse, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at La Crosse, in said District, on the 16th day of January, A. D. 1923.

(SEAL OF THE COURT)

WM. H. COMERFORD, Clerk.
By ALFRED HARRISON, Deputy.

ALBERT C. WOLFE,
Attorney for Bankrupt,
La Crosse, Wis.

EVANSVILLE, Ind. — Police in Evansville and other southern Indiana towns have been asked to look for Hatzel Cameron, 12, and Wallace Huser, 13, missing from their home at Grandview, Ind., since last Wednesday. The boys are believed to have come down the Ohio river in a skiff.

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LAWRENCE BENSON WELL KNOWN HERE, GETS BIG NEW JOB

Formerly C. M. & St. P. Special Agent Here Chosen Head of System's Police Force

Captain Lawrence Benson, formerly head of the Milwaukee road special police in La Crosse, has recently been appointed head of the entire special police force of the Milwaukee railroad, with headquarters in Chicago, it was learned by friends here. Captain Benson took over the duties of his new job last Saturday. He will be in complete charge of all the police activities of the Milwaukee road, and will have a force of about 5,000 men at his command.

Captain Benson was on duty in La Crosse about five years ago, and did some good police and detective work while here. Following his service here he was transferred to Seattle, Wash., where he succeeded last spring in breaking up a big organization of car thieves.

LOGAN HIGH SCHOOL HAS LARGER FUND RESULT OF COFFEE

A few weeks ago, the advanced freshman class of the Logan Junior High school, started a Victrola fund by holding a candy and cooky sale, the net proceeds of which totaled $16.25. This amount was increased by the substantial sum of $163.54 as a result of the coffee given at the school on Friday, January 12th, by the Parents Teachers' association. The total receipts were $200.85 with expenses amounting to $37.31.

The credit for the success of the coffee is due to the splendid co-operation among the parents, teachers and students, and the generous response by the public, to whom the association extends sincere thanks.

INCOME TAXES TO BE DISCUSSED AT CHAMBER LUNCHEON

Members of the Chamber of Commerce will have an opportunity to find out all about the income taxes, federal and state at the regular luncheon meeting Wednesday noon. W. H. O'Toole, of O'Toole and O'Toole, accountants, will be on hand to answer all questions which may come up concerning the taxes.

TOLF TOLLEFSON DRAWS $27.50 FOR BURLESQUE HOLDUP

Tolf Tollefson, Caledonian, who flashed an "impaired revolver at the Union hotel Sunday night while in an intoxicated condition, police said, shewing the patrons out and frightening several women, drew a fine of $27.50 in police court.

LATE PERSONALS

The Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company has issued $300,000 seven per cent bonds, due January 1, 1927, which are being offered to the public by Milwaukee bonding houses.

Fire equipment responded to alarms at three chimney fires, at Sixteenth and Jackson, and 503 North Twelfth, Monday, and 921 South Eleventh street, Tuesday morning.

A storm window fell out of a Chamber of Commerce window Tuesday morning and broke into splinters on the sidewalk. A gentleman had just passed the building when the window fell.

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DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds 1 p. m.:

3½s	101.18	Fourth 4¼s	98.62
Second 4s	98.18	Victory 4¾s	..
First 4¼s	98.82	uncalled	100.20
Second 4¼s	98.30	New 4¼s	99.98
Third 4¼s	98.94		

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK—A large volume of overnight selling orders imparted a reactionary trend to prices at the opening of Tuesday's stock market. Anaconda and Chile each sold off on publication of the terms of the proposed merger, the former dropping a point and the latter a half point. A downward tendency also was noted in the independent steels, low-priced rails and some of the specialties.

Prices stiffened somewhat after the initial selling orders had been absorbed and fresh buying power made its appearance in a number of special shares. Kresge was pushed up 2½ points and gains of 1 to 1½ were recorded by Famous Players preferred, Hartman Corporation, Houston Oil and Endicott-Johnson. Gulf States, Replogle and Crucible Steels also moved to higher ground, but Bethlehem "B" continued reactionary. Chicago and Eastern Illinois dropped a point and fractional recessions were noted in St. Louis Southwestern preferred, Chicago and Northwestern and New Haven, but New York Central advanced ½ point. Foreign exchanges were easier, demand sterling opening at 4.66, and then dropping back to 4.65, an over-night loss of ¼ to 1c. Francs dropped 5 points to 6.75. German marks established another new low, being quoted at 61-100ths of one cent a hundred, or more than 16,600 to the American dollar.

The market presented a spotty appearance throughout the morning with the major activity on the downward side. Special buying in Kresge, which extended its gain to 8½ points and in Gulf States Steel, Corn Products, International Paper and American Water Works issue, up 1½ to 3 points, temporarily halted the reaction, but the general buying power, however, was limited and when pressure applied again to the copper shares, Bethlehem and Republic Steel and Baldwin all off one to two points and Tidewater Oil off 7½, the market began to sag again. Fear of more serious complications in the Ruhr valley and the concurrent weakness of foreign exchange and French bonds caused some selling on the part of small investors and a contraction in pool operations in many stocks. California Petroleum made a sudden spurt of 1½ points but the other active issues showed little recuperative powers. Call money opened at 4 per cent but eased to 3½ before noon.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Buying on the part of houses with seaboard connections, led to an upturn in wheat prices Tuesday during early dealings. Reports current that the French planned to occupy Berlin had some bullish effect. Besides farmers deliveries in Argentina were said to be unexpectedly small and there were continued adverse weather conditions in the domestic winter wheat crop territory. The opening, which ranged from ¼ to ⅝c higher, with May $1.19⅞ to ½ and July $1.13 to ¼, was followed by material further gains.

With fair general buying and little aggressive opposition, the market reached the highest point in several weeks. The advance accompanied gossip that a large export business was under way. Prices closed strong, 1⅜ to 2⅛c net higher, May $1.21⅛ to ¼ and July $1.14¼ to ⅜.

Corn responded to the advance in wheat. After opening ⅛ to ⅝c higher, May 73⅝, to 74c, the market continued to ascend.

Increased speculative purchasing was a decided price lifting influence later. The close was firm, 1⅛ to 1¼c net higher, May 74⅛c.

Oats started unchanged to ⅛c higher, May 45 to 45⅛c and later showed an advance all around.

Higher quotations on hogs gave strength to provisions.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	119⅞	121⅛	119¾	121⅛
July	112	114⅜	112	114¼
Sept.	109⅜	110⅝	109⅜	110½
CORN—				
May	73⅜	74⅛	73	74⅛
July	72¾	74	72¾	73⅞
Sept.	72¾	73⅝	72¾	73½
OATS—				
May	45	46⅛	45	45⅞
July	42¾	43⅛	42½	42⅞
Sept.	----	----	----	41⅛
PORK—				
Blank.				
LARD—				
Jan.	11.35	11.35	11.30	11.30
May	11.50	11.60	11.50	11.52
RIBS—				
Jan.	....	....	....	11.00
May	11.00	11.00	10.95	10.95

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Bureau of Markets—Hogs—Receipts 30,000; 25c higher; bulk, 150 to 200 pound averages, $8.40 to $8.50; bulk, 225 to 300 pound butchers, $8.15 to $8.25; packing sows, $7.00 to $7.50; desirable pigs, $8.00 to $8.50; heavy hogs, $8.10 to $8.30; mediums, $8.15 to $8.50; light, $8.35 to $8.60; light lights, $8.35 to $8.60; packing sows, smooth, $7.35 to $7.75; rough, $7.00 to $7.40; killing pigs, $8.00 to $8.50.

Cattle—Receipts 12,000; slow; better grades steers scarce, others steady, top, $11.60; best yearlings, $11.25; bulk, $8.50 to $10.00; others steady, weak on butcher she stock and bulls; veal calves strong to 25c higher; stockers and feeders steady; bulk veal calves to packers, $10.50 to $11.00; choice up to $12.25 to outsiders; bulk stockers and feeders, $6.50 to $7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000; slow, fat lambs and yearlings steady; early top, $14.50 to packers; some higher; choice 95 pound fed Colorado yearlings, $12.75; sheep weak to lower, 103 pound ewes, $7.00 to $7.25; 120 pound wethers, $8.00; desirable 70 pound feeding lambs, $14.50.

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.21¼ to $1.22¼.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 73½ to 73¾c; No. 2 yellow, 72¾ to 73½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 45¼ to 47¼c; No. 3 white, 43½ to 45c.

Rye—No. 2, 88½c.

Barley—60 to 65c.

Timothy seed—$6.00 to $6.50.

Clover seed—$16.50 to $20.50.

Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$11.30.

Ribs—$10.75 to $11.50.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill. — Butter — Lower; creamery extras, 49½c; standards, 48c; extra firsts, 47½ to 48½c; firsts, 45½ to 45½c; seconds, 44 to 45c.

Eggs—Higher; receipts 6,654 cases; firsts, 36½c; ordinary firsts, 33 to 34c; miscellaneous, 35 to 36c.

Poultry—Alive, higher; fowls, 18 to 23c; springs, 18½c; roosters, 14c.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes — Slightly weaker; receipts 54 cars; total United States shipments, 623; Wisconsin sacked round whites, 80c to 85c cwt.; ditto bulk, 90c to $1.05 cwt.; Idaho sacked round whites, $1.00 to $1.05 cwt.; Idaho sacked Russets fancy, $1.60 cwt.; North Dakota sacked Red River Ohios, $1.10 cwt.

CHEESE

PLYMOUTH, Wis.—Plymouth board cheese quotations for the week: Market steady; twins, 25½c; long horns and single daisies, 25c; double daisies, Young Americas and squares not quoted.

Farmers' co-operative cheese quotations for week: Market steady; twins, 25½c; single daisies, 26½c; long horns, 26¾c; Young Americas, 25¾c; squares, 27½c; double daisies not quoted.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour unchanged. Shipments, 39,654 barrels. Bran—$26.00.

TOMAH PERSONALS

The Good Times club was entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Lester Caylor. Cards and refreshments were pleasing features of the gathering.

Miss Ida Miller was hostess on Thursday to the ladies of the Saturday Bridge club and other guests. Afternoon tea was served at the conclusion of the bridge game.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloi Bennett and children spent the past week at the Hoffman home at Mather.

Ralph McMullen of Superior has returned to his studies at the university after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. George McMullen and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Stowell of Camp Douglas are visitors at the A. J. Bolton home.

COMMEND HARDING

MILWAUKEE, Wis. — President Harding was commended for his "faithful enforcement of all laws, especially the prohibition law," in resolutions adopted Monday by the annual business meeting of the Milwaukee county W. C. T. U. All peace officers should set an example in law observance, the resolutions said.

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PHOTOS OF OTHER WOMEN CAUSE OF HUEBNER'S TROUBLE

Herbert Huebner's penchant for the photographs of other women, which he insisted in putting in his wife's photo album, has caused Mrs. Ella McVey Huebner to file complaint in circuit court in divorce action. Huebner has not filed any answer to his wife's suit as yet.

Mrs. Huebner charges that after her husband had returned from Florida, where he has worked for a while, he brought back the photos of several women, which he pasted in the family album. He also received letters from strange women, the wife alleges. They were married in Winona, in May, 1918, and have one child.

Mrs. Sophia Pataska has filed suit for divorce from her husband, Jacob. She charges him with cruel and inhuman treatment and habitual intoxication. They have six children, ranging in age from 8 to 19 years.

W. M. MASON TO GET HEARING TUESDAY ON HOTEL CHARGE

W. M. Mason will be arraigned before Judge Hunt in county court Tuesday afternoon to answer to charges of failing to pay a lodging bill at the Waterloo hotel. The complaint was made by A. R. McKernan. Mason was arrested in Madison for the La Crosse sheriff and was held until Sheriff Lund came for him. He was brought back to La Crosse Monday night.

MAN FALLS THROUGH PLATE GLASS WINDOW AT KRAUSE STORE

Aloyes Puent, of La Crosse paid a fine of $7.50 in police court Tuesday morning on a charge of intoxication.

Puent was found lying on the sidewalk at Third and Main streets Monday by Alderman Palmer who helped him to his feet and started him down the walk, according to the police. Puent, according to the police report, staggered and fell into a plate glass window of the Krause company, breaking the glass.

WHOLESALERS AND MANUFACTURERS MEET

The Wholesalers and Manufacturers Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday night. Chairman Harry Hirshheimer requests a full attendance, as several matters of importance are scheduled to come up.

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The widow died, leaving the oldest son as the only administrator. Other members of the family filed a petition alleging incompetence in the management of the estate. After much litigation, the son was removed as administrator and another administrator was appointed by the court. The son resisted the procedure of the new administrator, and began suit to obtain some of the personal property.

After litigation extending over several years, the affairs of the estate were finally adjusted. Practically three-fourths of the entire estate was dissipated, resulting in animosities between members of the family that have not been removed during fifteen years.

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GERMANY DECLARED IN DEFAULT ON HER 1923 DELIVERIES

Action Agreed Upon at Meeting of Reparations Commission in Paris

REFUSAL OPEN DEFIANCE OF ALLIES SAYS FRENCH MEMBER

British Delegate Refrains from Voting on Proposal

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—The reparations commission Tuesday decided that Germany had wilfully defaulted in deliveries in kind for 1923. France, Belgium and Italy so voted. Kemball Cook, representing England in place of Sir John Bradbury who was reported as indisposed, abstained from voting.

The default, it was explained by Louis Barthou, president of the commission, resulted from the refusal of the German government to make deliveries in kind while the French were in the Ruhr.

The French high commissioners were anxious to obtain the vote of the reparations commission declaring this default, as an authorization for the French policy of reparations which, it is believed, will be enforced immediately.

The reparations commission was in session less than half an hour. The hurried decision followed Germany's refusal to make any more deliveries in kind, including coal, wood, cattle, dyes and building material, such as the French removed in the Ruhr.

President Barthou said Germany's refusal was "an open defiance of the allies" which must be met with immediate action.

The American representatives, Roland W. Boyden, and Colonel James A. Logan, were present but had nothing to say.

DUBLIN.—Four men were executed at Roscrea and one at Carlow in the Free State government's enforcement of possession of arms.

"THE STORM" GIVEN AGAIN WEDNESDAY AT THE MATINEE

The Beach-Jones Stock Company has arranged to put on another matinee performance of "The Storm," at the Majestic on Wednesday in answer to an avalanche of requests from people in towns around La Crosse who cannot drive in at night. Such a request has never before been heard of in the annals of La Crosse's theater history and serves to emphasize further the fact that the Beach-Jones Company has established a high standard previously unapproached for stock productions. Wednesday's matinee performance will be the tenth presentation of "The Storm" in La Crosse.

MICHIGAN BREWER DEAD

MENOMINEE, Mich.—John Benes, wealthy Menominee brewer, died at his home here Monday morning from the effects of pleurisy. Deceased was part owner of the Leiser-Benese Brewing company and was one of Menominee's most prominent pioneers. He is survived by his wife and five children.

The production of buttons during 1921 was valued at $50,000,000.

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SOCIALIST ASKS DATA ON DEBT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Resolution Calls on Rail Body for Information on Bond and Stock Issues

MADISON, Wis. — The railroad commission is asked to furnish the legislature with facts concerning bond and stock issues of Wisconsin public utilities, together with the approximate interest paid on these securities annually, in a resolution introduced into the assembly Tuesday by Thomas M. Duncan, Socialist, Milwaukee.

It is the purpose of the resolution, according to its author, to show that there has been no attempt on the part of utility companies to pay off their indebtedness, which is an ever increasing burden on consumers.

"This constantly increasing indebtedness, and ever growing demand for more interest and dividends is a tremendous annually increasing tax upon the workers and farmers of Wisconsin," the resolution stated.

"In all the years of the railroad commission not a single utility has made any progress toward paying off its indebtedness," the resolution continued.

"No municipality is granted a license whereby it may escape paying off its indebtedness, but on the contrary each city and county is compelled by law to redeem its bonds within twenty years from the date of issue.

"We want to know whether the railroad commission expects Wisconsin producers to meet this annual interest and dividend charge forever or whether the commission has any plan in mind to eliminate this utility tax."

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AT ALL DRUGGISTS 30c AND 60c

WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

Sauer Kraut, per lb.— 5c

Spare Ribs, per lb.— 11c

Beef Roast, per lb.— 10c

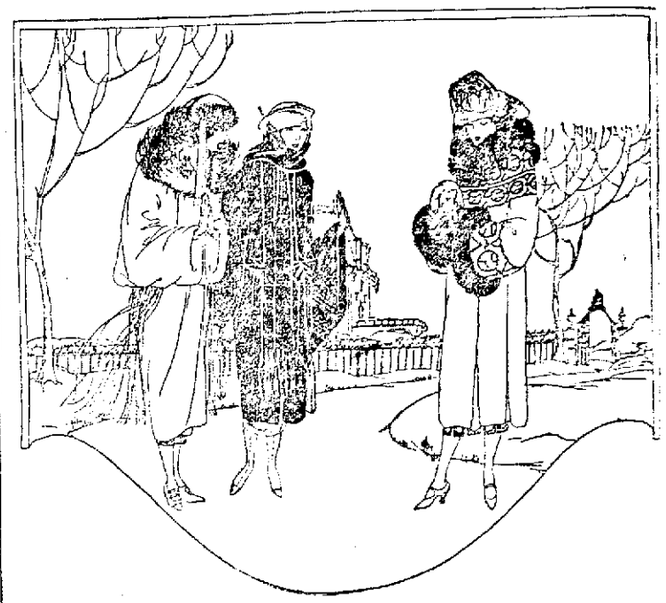
Sausage Meat, per lb.— 10c

Hamburger, per lb.— 10c

Home Made Links, lb.— 12½c

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Dresses, Coats, Suits, Children's Wear, Boys' Coats and Suits reduced 20% to 50%

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FOUR SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY

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3 pieces 40-inch Printed Silk Georgettes, Pre-Inventory Sale price Wednesday per yard $1.29
Colors are brown, blue and helio; all neat styles.

LOT 2
5 pieces 54-inch Heavy Mixed Coatings, Pre-Inventory Sale price Wednesday per yard $1.98
Grey and brown mixtures; a practical coat material.

LOT 3
5 pieces 40-inch Colored Silk and Wool Poplins, Pre-Inventory Sale price per yard $1.39
All staple street colors; an ideal material for dresses.

LOT4
10 pieces 30-inch All Wool Printed Challies, Pre-Inventory Sale price per yard 79c
Dark grounds; small figure designs; fine house dress material

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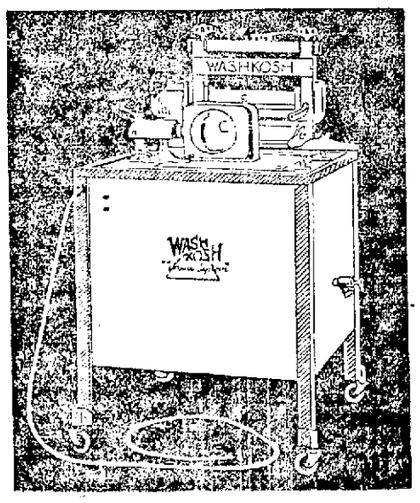
GROCERIES
Bulk Raisins, Wednesday at per pound 18c
Prunes, large size, Wednesday, pound— 12½c
Campbell's Tomato Soup, at per can 10c
Black Walnuts, Wednesday at per pound 4c

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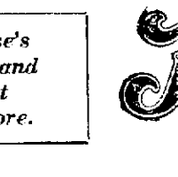


MEN'S heavy work Shoes, all sizes, at per pair— $1.85



MEN'S tan elk Scout Shoes, all sizes— $1.85

BOYS' tan elk Scout Shoes, sizes 2½ to 6, at per pair— $1.85



LITTLE black or brown Dress, rubber heels, sizes 9 to 13½, per pair— $1.85

$1.85

INFANTS' patent leather lace Shoes with dull top, sizes 5 to 8, per pair— $1.85

INFANTS' patent leather beaver top lace shoes, sizes 5 to 8, per pair $1.85



INFANTS' patent leather white top lace Shoes, sizes 5 to 8— $1.85



LADIES' comfort shoes, soft kid cushion soles, rubber heels— $1.85



LADIES' Juliet and strap House Slippers, per pair— $1.85



MISSES' and Children's brown lace shoes, pointed or broad, rubber heels, size 8½ to 2, at per pair— $1.85



MEN'S tan lace Shoes, with brogue toe, Goodyear welted soles, rubber heels— $2.85



MEN'S tan or black bluchers with medium round toes, Goodyear welted soles, rubber heels— $2.85



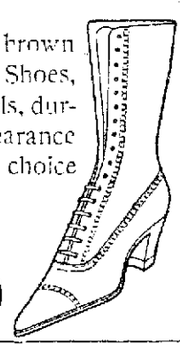
MEN'S heavy tan Work Shoes with chrome leather soles —per pair $2.85



BOYS' black or brown lace shoes with pointed or broad toes, sizes 2½ to 6, at— $2.85

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LADIES' brown kid lace Shoes, medium heels, during this Clearance Sale your choice at per pair 2.85



LADIES' and Growing Girls' patent leather Oxfords, low rubber heels, at— $2.85



MEN'S tan Army Shoes, Goodyear welted soles, rubber heels, per pair— $2.85



LADIES' and Growing Girls' black and brown kid or calf Oxfords, Goodyear welted soles, Rubber heels, at— $2.85



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